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GREAT POLITICAL WAR NEAR IN GERMANY

LONDON FEARS INCREASE OF CRIME

Many Murders, Six of the Victims Being Women, Are Perpetrated in City.

Question of Capital Punishment Taken Up by Very Prominent Men.

(By PAUL LAMBETH)

LONDON Jan 14—There has been a alarming increase of crime in this country During the last six months 10 crimes of a serious nature have been committed Many were murders No less than six women have been mysteriously murdered The Great Southwark Catholic Cathedral was recently burglarized for the fifth time

An interesting discussion on capital punishment has elicited the views of several well known men Mr Plowden the well known metropolitan magistrate says

Perhaps you will allow me as a confirmed disbeliever in capital punishment to make one or two comments not the less true because they must often have been made before People of course are at liberty to think and believe that there would be more murders than there are if hanging were abolished but except from analogy with foreign countries probably perhaps with France where capital punishment after being abolished has recently been restored there is absolutely no evidence nor in the nature of things can there be any to show that the rope is a deterren

VOTES SIX TIMES

One of the most noted plural voters in the kingdom is W J Harwood of Herne Hill who at a recent election actually voted in six county constituencies in one day covering something like 250 miles in his motor car The champion plural voter was the Rev Washbourne West late senior fellow of Lincoln College Oxford who in 1892 at the age of eighty recorded seventeen votes for Conservative candidates in different parts of the country and still left half-a-dozen unused Hunnered and twenty votes in four years was M West's achievement and very proud he was of it as he more than once told the writer His only regret was that he could not live to make it two centuries He recorded eight of his 189 votes in two consecutive days at places as far apart as Sevenoaks and Mill Oxford

In the United States not all a person to cast a ballot box stuffer But here a criminal type is recognized

In the aggregate the money spent by the American sailors who have been on here pensions is tremendous Large sums it has been a case of more to burn and pay out of with most of them no fortune some of them have been killed during battle ships but the end of course is the almost inevitable fate of visiting London who are not entirely in possession of plausible stranger

The Yankee fleet spent nine in the two weeks the fleet was here the whole English navy would spend six months to save even a year

HOME TRANSFERRED

A third grand old home that has passed away from its owners and is to be sold for to final purposes is Madryn Castle North Wales purchased by the Caernarvonshire County Council but there is perhaps some bitter appropriateness in handing put to educational uses for the late owner was of the same family as Hibbert who founded the American University of that name

Madryn a gentle lady castle with quaint gatehouse was full of furniture paintings rare china silver and many pictures but everything was dispersed owing to the death of the owner Mrs Yale Jones Parry who at last survivng son of Colonel Parry Yale

CRETE CHRISTIANS ISSUE ULTIMATUM

Declare They Will Not Suffer Restriction of Any Rights Acquired

ATHENS Jan 14 The Christian population of Crete have held a meeting and their representatives have handed the consuls a communication asserting that they will not suffer any restriction of the rights already acquired and mentioning that since 1897 all communications of the powers have referred to guaranteeing rights only which have long since been to some extent acquired by the right conferred upon the King of the Hellenes to indicate his choice of high commissioner of Crete The people now declare that they are determined to undertake every sacrifice to obtain the fulfillment of the promises of the powers contained in their note of October 1908 The assembly adopted a resolution expressing the profound affliction of the Cretan people and protesting against the latest decision of the powers together with the hope that the protecting powers would not look on and see their proteges perish in consequence of this decision

The Mahomedan deputies left the sitting in silence

SLAYS MOTHER BECAUSE SHE REWEDS

Gaston Mache de Roo Sentenced to Ten Years for Unnatural Crime.

Woman Marries Hungarian Banker; Son Fires Fatal Shot.

PARIS Jan 14—The trial of a man who murdered his mother because she married again was held here recently

Gaston Mache de Roo is a man of thirty He is one of four children of the mother whom he killed He killed her because she had married an Hungarian banker M Hajos who had been an intimate friend of the family for many years and his mother's banker The marriage took place four days before the murder

Madame De Roo was a rich woman She had a fortune which not only sufficed for her own needs and those of her children while they were young but when they grew up she provided for them lavishly Gaston admitted that he had received £1 000 from his mother in the course of the last few years Madam De Roo made the banker's acquaintance in 1902 He was a widower and had three daughters

The young Roos—two young men and two girls—became great friends of the Hajos family and it was not until M Hajos and Madame De Roo widower and widow, determined that they would marry that there was any dissension in the De Roo family At first only the elder brother and the two sisters—both of whom are married—raised an objection Madame De Roo said she would sacrifice herself for them and M Hajos went away from Paris He came back again however and after more discussion between her mother and her children Madame De Roo and the man she loved parted once more But Madame De Roo could not bear the parting She sent for him again and he resigned himself to it as he was then sure he would make his fortune over to her sons and daughters and should marry him against her wishes Madame De Roo refused to give away her fortune as she did not think it fair or just but she and M Hajos were married secretly on April 9 On April 4 the mother told her son Gaston that she had become Madam Hajos

SHOOTS MOTHER

He refused at first to believe it He went out dined out and before he returned home made inquiries which confirmed his mother's story of her marriage An hour a few minutes afterwards Gaston Mache De Roo drew a revolver from his pocket and shot his mother dead

De Roo is a brow haired Jew a little man As the judge told the story of the crime he stood in the dock and cried From time to time he murmured

I loved my mother I wish I had pity I shall suffer all my life for what I have done

The prosecution tried to prove that Roo killed his mother to sell her house The witnesses were then heard and one of them was the sister of Gaston She was opposed to the marriage She said mother had married a man of her own age and circumstances we should lose nothing She did not like the idea of it to such an extent that she would rather though we lunched together The jury returned a verdict of guilty with extenuating circumstances and the judge sentenced him to ten years solitary confinement

GERMAN WOMAN FASTS IN CAFE

Like Tantalus, Fraulein Grete Emilon Smells and Sees, But Cannot Eat.

LONDON Jan 14 It is said that Fraulein Grete Emilon has brought to a branch hospital there a unique case with the gods Since after she was plunged into life and infernal regions were turned with thirst to see the water rise to her lips but not reach her

Fraulein Grete Emilon appeared in Vienna early in this season of things This young lady is a follower of the hunger strike which a number of years ago put Miss Tanner's fasting in London

Fraulein Emilon undertook a long fast at one of the best cafes in Vienna Every possible test of the sincerity of the fraulein was made Shut away from all physical contact with the world she spends her time making case reading and answering letters She declares a piece of paper from a pad and answers any inquiry that is passed into the case by the individuals of the crowd which incesses daily But she never partakes of the gastronomic dainties which she answers

TRIES SUICIDE

BRUSSELS Jan 14—A sensation was caused recently at the close of an evening performance at the Alhambra by a French actress named Mlle Emma Deru attempting to put an end to her life by taking poison in her dressing room Her groans brought her assistance and she was conveyed to the nearest hospital in a critical condition

FRANZ-JOSEPH NEAR DEATH, IS FEAR

Illness of the Aged Austrian Emperor Franz Joseph May Be Last.

Two Are Jailed for Murder of Hunchbacked Woman in Vienna.

(By EMIL ANDRASSY)

VIENNA Jan 14—The fact that Archduke Franz Ferdinand represented the emperor in receiving the Austro Hungarian telegrams is regarded as significant It is the first time in many years in fact since his accession to the throne so far as I am able all that the emperor has delegated this function to another It leaks out what I recently stated in these dispatches that the Emperor is a sick man Those who have been privileged to see him recently have remarked on his feebleness and the rapid failure of his strength

Of course this is one of those things which are not spoken of freely but it would no cause any great surprise if announcement were made that his majesty had come to his last sickness It would however cause very deep grief, for it is doubtful if there is in Europe a sovereign who is more universally loved than the aged wearer of the double crown of Austria and Hungary

PAINTED WHILE ASLEEP

It is the craze of the pretty ladies of Vienna high society to be painted while asleep Countess Czivek started the fright idea A well known portraitist who had given her an appointment for the sitting has the vicious habit of being late for appointments Tired of turning over French novels in an anteroom the beautiful countess fell asleep At last the portraitist arrived and impressed by the unexpected vision of a sleeping beauty he threw off a lightning sketch and as the countess awoke he held it before her astonished eyes The drawing was so dainty and seductive that the delighted sitter insisted upon a complete oil portrait painted while she simulated sleep

Professor Brueckner president of the Geographical Society of Vienna is of the opinion that the weather is deteriorating and he says but no improvement is to be expected until 1920 Here before it has been held that cycles are controlled by the weather but the professor after calculations extending over a thousand years has discovered that contrariwise the weather is controlled by cycles At the moment a half cycle of the sun is turning anticlockwise and the sun has escaped into a back street

MURDER SUSPECTS JAILED

Two arrests have already been made in connection with the murder of a poor friend hunchbacked woman parts of whose body were discovered in a washing basket in a tenement house in the Brigittenau quarter one of the poorest districts of Vienna

Louise Weiss aged forty the victim lived a somewhat existence as a seamstress Her sister says she was always miserly secretive and reserved She was embittered on account of her disfigurement but was always planning to find herself a husband If when she left home she was wearing several articles of jewelry she would have carried her savings in her pocket

Fraulein Weiss was last seen entering a house where her friend Frau Marie Bartunek lived with a tailor named Franz Czerny The remains were found in the cellar floor of the same house The police have attached Frau Bartunek's house and allege that they found traces of blood on the recently washed floor Certain remains supposed to be those of the missing female were in a cupboard ready to further pieces of a newspaper in which the pieces of which the body of the victim was wrapped

Frau Bartunek is said to have borrowed two washing baskets from her mother some days ago Only one was returned When asked where the other was she could not account for its disappearance These alleged facts led to the arrest of Frau Bartunek and Czerny who are accused of murdering the unattached woman for her money

INCREASE NOTED IN SWITZERLAND CENSUS

BERNE Jan 14—The result of the decennial census for Switzerland is known as far as the legislature is concerned It shows a great increase Here are a few of the principal places Zurich today has 188 930 inhabitants against 150 700 in 1900 Bale has risen from 109 161 to 123 539 Geneva now counts 104 094 against 104 094 Berne has 85 against 64 849 and Lausanne 46 662 against 46 662 whereas ten years ago it was The lesser important towns show proportional increases In Lugano however there has been an exodus since last New Years day of 933 families Various causes are attributed for this effect—scarcity of work no building operations and the cost of living While the 33 families have gone it is not stated

DIVORCES INCREASE

EDINBURGH Jan 14—Divorces numbering 224 were granted by the Scottish courts during the year just ended as compared with 195 the previous year Wives were granted divorces in 133 cases and only five petitions were refused.

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TWO SCENES OF THE LONDON SLUMS, WHERE TWO ANARCHISTS HELD 1500 POLICE AT BAY.

RUSSIA'S CZAREVICH IS GROWING.

PHYSICIAN CLAIMS TUBERCULOSIS CURE

PARIS Jan 14—Dr Doyen who is perhaps the most ... the world is giving a series of lectures at the Institute ... on the cure declares he has found the cure of that dreadful malady and ... pensary near the Port ... Those suffering from ... having called from ... by of the city can be treated free of charge

Dr Doyen has been ... with his method since 1907 His ... Dr Cenill in his ... has stated 70 000 cases of intestinal ... tors of foreign ... in England they have ... 109 cases Dr Doyen has received ... favorable reports The application is generally very painful but like flesh ... part affected on the genital ... but ... fragments ... The ... Doyen ... in his lecture are the following In the first degree there are 60 per cent ... per cent of the cases have improved

In pulmonary tuberculosis in the second degree 5 per cent were cured in six months and there was improvement in 40 per cent of cases Tuberculosis in the third degree 5 per cent of the cases were cured ... and 60 per cent improved In this grave ... Dr Doyen proposes to demonstrate in a few months how far ... generality of ... diseases and in ... proportion to ... Saint Surian mortality

Labor Chambers for Reichstag Planned in Bill to Be Introduced

BERLIN Jan 1—The Imperial government has apparently ... the establishment of ... done by England's ... consequence a bill ... forward in the Reichstag ... Labor Chambers for ... These chambers ... much the same way ... conciliation and ... will be the same ... and employers ... industries ... the sole ... of the railway ... government ... wayfarers in the ... Power of the government ...

A Kaiserslautern ... imprisonment for life for complicity in ... bomb outrages at Frieiberg

A violent explosion took place in the town hall wrecking the building and ... immediately afterwards two men rushed ... to the Imperial Bank and endeavored to rob the manager who was shot in the struggle One ... and the other made off on a bicycle ... shot a schoolboy and two peasants who ran after him and cycled on ... pursued by the police ... near Bad Nauheim where finding escape cut off ... committed suicide Weimar ... accomplice was arrested in Hamburg He was tried at Glessen Assizes Darmstadt

WIRELESS MARVEL TO SPAN OCEAN

Any Part of Sea to Be Within Call of Message's Flash.

LONDON Jan ... Wireless messages ... direct to and from ... Atlantic ocean—such ... ment promised ... Leviathan ships now ... structor

At present wireless ... from ship to shore ... distance A message ... land to the Mauretania ... ship in mid Atlantic ... can be handed over ... another vessel ... and vice versa nitted to the ... This is due ... masses are not ... of a continuous ... aerial waves carrying ... this defect is soon to be remedied

The Hamburg American steamer Europa which is now being built will probably be the first ship to communicate direct to the shore stations from any part of the Atlantic

IBSEN'S HOUSE MAY BE SOLD

The Structure in Old Town of Grimstad in Danger of Destruction.

CHRISTIANIA Jan 14—In the little town of Grimstad on the southern coast of Norway stands an ancient dilapidated and empty house modest in the extreme even in its days of prosperity It is only of one story and was formerly a chemist's shop

The present proprietor is thinking of either selling the old place or rebuilding it The alternative would almost amount to sacrilege for it was in this unpretentious structure that Ibsen served his apprenticeship and afterwards carried on business as a chemist

During the latter period of 1848 and the time of the first war between Prussia and Denmark Ibsen passed his time here It was in this humble dwelling that he composed his poem dedicated To Hungary In his sleepless at night he wrote Catilina

Against the alternative proposal of the destruction of Ibsen's house at Grimstad,

KILLS HIMSELF BECAUSE OF MISTAKE

Paris Official Broods Over Act He Considered Was Dishonest

PARIS Jan 14 One of the most remarkable suicides in the history of this city occurred recently when publication of a book by Dr Dupouy of an official act which he committed dishonest ... led to the end of ... Dupouy ... to the position of ... Minister ... Seine over the ... Dupouy had ... their business and discovered ... The souvenirs of Ibsen are rife in Norway concludes M Brandes Let us preserve the house

PLAN FIGHT AGAINST THE SOCIALISTS

Conservatives Determined to Suppress Enemies Who Are in Power.

Imperial House of Lords May Be Formed As Check On the Reichstag.

(By MALCOM CLARKE)

BERLIN Jan 14—The Conservatives are openly declaring the intention to resort to oppressive measures to suppress Socialism One said recently it was not proposed to wait for socialistic violence, but rather it was intended to open the attack on Socialism

Herr von Heydebrand told the chancellor kindly that he would not dictate to him what form those measures should take but it is clear that what is wanted is something like the Socialist laws of the eighties which enabled the government to suppress Socialists propaganda wherever it ventured to show itself

It is expected that the Socialists will at least double their numbers in the next Reichstag In the present house they have 43 If they come back from next campaign with 100 to 120 representatives and their ... allies whose present strength is 58 ... proportionately will the government ... which has a total number ... will have dwindled to political ... the vanishing point

The millions of Germans who vote for Socialist candidates do so because they are dissatisfied with the present condition of things and the most effective way of expressing their discontent is to vote it

HOUSE OF LORDS

There is talk of an Imperial House of Lords ... the Reichstag also talk ... Reichstag ... growing ... and ... Socialist ... allowed to ... of things under which the nation ... progress and the prices ... mutual ... have ... Socialist ... injuries ...

The Reichstag ... on the Emperor's ... wind is blowing ... speech ... the wind is blowing ... Bismarck ... Socialists made ... the ... Socialists ... with them The Liberals ... Socialists do not relish the Kaiser's ... Foreign ... would far ... Socialists ... have no quarrel with him ...

All ... everything he ... considers ... regarded too serious ...

ENDORSE SENTENCE

... imposed upon Captain ... mutiny on the ... Sea ... the revelations ... that the idea of ... by England is ... Satisfaction is felt ... while only a ... harm ... tourist, ... Germans to ... unchecked ... two ... and ...

LAWYERS TO PREDOMINATE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS; NOW NUMBER 44

LONDON Jan 14—Lawyers ... usual will predominate in the new House of Commons The country gentlemen who ... one ... to meet the bulk of the ...

Mr Gregory has a great aim or object in the ... novelist ... is to ... the Scottish ... with the ... Brandes ... the ... In the hills ... Mr Brandes ... the ... and fame ... Ibsen ... glory

Grimstad ... Ibsen ... in its midst ... possessed ... little ... be preserved ... the house ... the people ... their business ... The souvenirs ... Norway concludes ... Let us ...

Only ... and thirty six barristers and twenty ... solicitors are included in the new House as against 129 barristers and 30 solicitors in the old.

RUSSIA PRISON REFORM IS SLOGAN

Students Determined to Better Conditions; Many in Movement.

Countess Alexandra Tolstoy in Violent Quarrel With Brothers.

By GEORGE FRASER)

ST PETERSBURG, Jan 14—The students are persistent in their determination to agitate for prison reform until conditions which were outlined in my letter of last week have become impossible in Russian penal institutions Practically every institution of higher learning in the empire is taking part in the movement and the effort of the authorities to put an end to the agitation have been futile Arrests fines imprisonment have all been tried against the leaders of the students but all have been without avail

Lectures and examinations are suspended and meetings of students and police incursions are of daily occurence Committees have been appointed to discuss active resistance, and, to judge from the past, this form of retaliation will shrink from no measures however desperate

COMTESS QUARRELS

Comtess Alexandra Tolstoy is at odds with her brothers as to the influence of M Tchertkoff on their father Leo Tolstoy recently issued a statement blaming in some measure M Tchertkoff for the dead count's leaving home Comtess Alexandra has this to say

'Without discussing whether Mr Vladimir Tchertkoff exercised an influence over my father or not as alleged by my brother Leo Leovich the statement is in itself an insult to the memory of Leo Nicolaevevich and a depreciation of the great importance of his last act (his departure from Yasnaya Polyana evoked by complex spiritual causes and motives, on which I think it is superfluous to enlarge I look upon the accusations of my brother Leo Leovich against my father's best friend, who was devoted heart and soul to him and his cause as unjust and undeserved

ROMANTIC TRAGEDY

A romantic tragedy is reported from Yalta A young lieutenant of the local garrison became engaged some months ago to a very pretty and accomplished girl, the adopted daughter of a Crimean family in affluent circumstances Just before the marriage was to have taken place it was discovered that the bride was the half-sister on her mother's side of the bridegroom The latter shot himself when he learned the news and the unfortunate girl who knew nothing of her real parentage has lost her reason The names have been suppressed out of sympathy for the families concerned

The Tsar of Russia since his holiday in Darmstadt has become an enthusiast over the cinematograph His favorite diversion has been to have the films put on backwards and he recently instructed the operators that a film taken of himself riding in Moscow should be reversed

IN NEW UNIFORM

Photographs are published in St Petersburg showing the Czar attired in the new uniform adopted for the Russian infantry which has been criticised by the men as ugly and unserviceable

For some time past there has been a great increase in the number of desertions from the army for which according to the newspapers the uniform in question has been largely responsible many soldiers having alleged that their womenfolk chaffed them about their appearance and that the clothes were so uncomfortable that they often found it difficult to march when wearing them

These statements it seems came to the knowledge of the Czar whereupon he promptly donned the much discussed kit appeared publicly in the uniform and it is said even slept in it Later his majesty was photographed wearing it and holding his son and heir on his arm

GERMANY AFTER THE SOUTH POLE

Prince Henry of Prussia Is to Rule Over Destinies of the Expedition.

BERLIN Jan 14—Definite plans for a German south polar expedition are announced to-day naming the date when under the auspices of Prince Henry of Prussia Already $100 000 has been secured by public lotteries and private subscriptions and it was declared necessary to find $4 0 000 more before the expedition can start next spring Seventy five thousand dollars has been given to purchase and equipment of a Norwegian sailing ship

KAISER TO SEND REPRESENTATIVE

Dr Lewald German commissioner general to the St Louis exposition was appointed to represent the kaiser's government in the expedition's executive committee

Lieutenant Filchner leader of the expedition thinks it will require four months to reach the field of operations Then he will first visit South Georgian Island then the expedition will proceed to the Sandwich Islands and then make a rush into Weddell sea It is proposed to seek out Coat land and the east coast of the Weddell sea and establish a base there

PLANS EXPEDITION ON LEDS.

This base will be maintained as a scientific station for at least one year Ledge expeditions will sally forth from it into the interior from time to time they will be undertaken by a special sledging corps of ten men

Lieutenant Filchner's expedition has been given the character of a great national undertaking as the kaiser kaiserin imperial government a navy and leading German scientific bodies all have given with it engaged and officially identified with it The supreme patron is the aged Prince Filchner regent of Bavaria and officer in the Bavarian army

ITALY FACES BIG LABOR CRISIS

Railroad Men to Go On Strike Unless Increase of $4,000,000 Is Granted.

Question of Papal Consistory Occupies Minds of the Church People.

(By CLEMENT J BARRETT)

ROME Jan 14—There is apparently trouble ahead for the people of this country First it was the earthquake at Messina Then a few months ago came the epidemic and now a great railroad strike is pending If the railroad men should go on strike it is believed that nearly every branch of industry will be involved

The railroad employes have decided to defer the threatened strike until the end of this month in order to give to the movement and Parliament time to amend the bill granting to them an annual increase of $4,060,000 The men are poorly paid

Italy buys some £6 000 000 worth of South Welsh coal every year The transport which has hitherto been in the hands of English shippers is now to be taken over by an Italian company English ship owners have been geting $20 000 000 for freight charges for this This will prove a serious blow to English shipping interests

REFORM SOUGHT

The government has introduced its measure of elected reform which seeks to establish the despotic principle of compulsory voting in Parliamentary elections

The democratic forces are ranged against the bill and declare that its passage is desired by the Conservatives because they see in it a possibility of increasing their strength in the chamber

Compulsory voting would entail the abandonment by the clericals of their policy of abstenation from political warfare

By the reforms of the franchise proposed 3 000 000 electors would be added to the lists, and so all the democratic forces are willing to give acceptance to the measure But they are sternly opposed to compulsory voting

PAPAL CONSISTORY

The ever recurring question of a Papal consistory for the creation of cardinals occupies the minds and conversations of many here

There are nineteen vacancies Two cardinal are ill and not likely to recover while at this time several cardinals engaged in the sacred congregations, are old and incapable of attending the sessions

Many who assume to know declare that next year, which is the year of jubileo rejoicing of the Italian government for the anniversary of the proclamation of this city as the capital of Italy the Pope will hold no special functions and therefore that no consistory will be held in that year

That the United States may eventually get two cardinals is considered likely Another report has it that one of these will be a cardinal 'in curia —that is to say living here at Rome and assisting in a special manner in matters relating to America

PRELATES IN DOUBT

No one save the Pope knows what prelates he will raise to the sacred college and when a consistory for such purpose will be had One report says that Dr Bourne Catholic Archbishop of Westminster has come here to make arrangements for getting the cardinal's hat another report gives out that his name has never been taken into consideration for the cardinalate

The Pope lets the reports circulate never deigning to contradict them He once said that if he spent his time at contradicting reports concerning the Vatican and himself he would not have time to say even his morning prayers

EXPOSITION PLANS TAKING SHAPE

Great Glasgow Exhibition to Have Features of World-Wide Interest.

EDINBURGH Jan 14—Arrangements for the great Glasgow Exhibition of 1911 are beginning to take definite shape and it is clear that the site of 30 acres in Kelvin Grove Park within a mile of the center of the city will be the scene of a most interesting and successful show The scheme falls into four great sections—national history modern fine arts industry and entertainment The exhibits in the historical section will be housed in the Palace of History and will form the largest and most noteworthy collection of Scottish historical portraits etc ever brought together representation of events in Scottish romantic history living pictures and pageants illustrating in a large scale and picturesque manner productions of a number of old Scottish buildings scenes in which the historical exhibits are housed Exhibitors will be encouraged to assist the committee by reproducing such buildings and representing conditions of home and business life costumes and in short arrangements of the collection time

In the Palace of Modern Art will be housed collections of pictures sculpture applied arts All the picture will be by Scottish artists and will represent a century of Scottish art The whole of the space available on the south side of the park adjoining Sauchiehall street will be occupied by the Palace of Industries This building with an ingenious arrangement of covered promenade and inclosed quadrangle will occupy an area of 110 000 square feet and provide accommodation for extensive displays of exhibits both national and international character

CHOCOLATE ALPHABET

BELGRADE Jan 14—A Servian teacher, M Medakovitch has instituted the most successful method of teaching yet discovered In his school each pupil is provided with a chocolate alphabet and as soon as he can put his name together correctly he is allowed to eat it M Medakovitch's pupils on an average can read in three days

Two of Those Prominent Across Seas

MISS IVY LILLIAN CLOSE

England recently found her most beautiful woman, and here is her picture. How she compares with the typical American beauty is shown too well in the statement of a former American who was on the jury that awarded the laurels, that "the usual beauty in the United States is her equal"

EARL GREY

SHAKE-UP IN CABINET DUE, WASHINGTON RUMOR SAYS

President Taft to Change Advisors, According to Report; Knox, MacVeagh and Ballinger to Go

(By RALPH M WHITESIDE)

WASHINGTON Jan 14—Washington is in a cause on itself for rumors And it is said can get quicker and wider circulation than it can in any other place in the United States Some of these reports turn out to be pretty fairly grounded at that Others live their little day and then give way to other rumors and are forgotten

Here is one of the latest Whether it will develop into the prophecy class the deponent saith not

President Taft report says is to remodel his cabinet before the grass grows Senator Knox MacVeagh Wilson and Ballinger are the men upon whom the deadly prefix Ex is to be bestowed

According to the story Mr Knox is tired of his job because he is overshadowed by Wickersham Mr Ballinger's job is tired of him because of more or less recent happenings Mr MacVeagh's health is bad and Mr Wilson feels now that he has beaten all records it is time for him to retire

Representative Tawney of Minnesota who will himself be entitled to prefix Ex to his name after March 4 is said to be slated for the place to be vacated by Mr Ballinger either Collector Loeb of Private Secretary Norton to take the treasury department This particular rumor has not excited men for the departments of State or Agriculture

ANOTHER RUMOR

Another interesting rumor and this has more consistency apparently than the one next preceding has it that there is to be a general shake up in the diplomatic service next month J G Schmidlapp of Cincinnati will go to Russia in place of Mr Rockhill Mr O'Brien now in Japan will go to a European capital and former Vice President Fairbanks is said to be slated for a first class embassy Other changes are also mentioned

Hannis Taylor minister to Spain under President Cleveland was in Raleigh when President Andrew Johnson went here to speak to old friends of his boyhood whom he had left as a tailor's apprentice and he tells the following story of the occasion

It was Johnson's first visit to Raleigh since he left as a boy and he was expected to make a tremendous speech for didn't After being introduced as the former tailor's apprentice of Raleigh who had become President he stared in He fumbled around stopping every few minutes to raise his hand above his head and exclaim Where are the friends of my childhood? Echo answer Where?

He made this observation half a dozen times Then an old man who sat on the front row arose and said Oh —— Andy we're all here Go on

HALE CAN FIGHT

The retiring senator from Maine has long been regarded as a man who while to necessity unfit for a fight in Congress can put up pretty fair battle when occasion demands An old friend of Senator Hale tells this story the other day and it is said to be illustrative of Hale's temperament

One of Hale's sons now an attorney in Portland was then a small boy One day he came into his father's office and announced that he was going to have a fight with another youngster the next day His father reproved him and said he didn't want him fighting with his playmates

Put I don't see how I can get out of it insisted the boy He dared me to fight him and I tol' him I'd fight him

Mr Boy said Senator Hale gravely if you agreed to fight somebody then don't fail to fight him and above all see that you win

When Representative James A Tawney of Minnesota who figures at the present session of Congress will no longer have a voice in the councils of the nation for the first time since he was elected to Congress twenty two years ago and a new man was sworn in to succeed him Vice President Fairbanks was called upon to administer the oath of office to the new member Mr Tawney was escorted to the front of the chamber by Senator Nelson of Minnesota

Mr Tawney said Vice President Fairbanks I present to you the member elect from the Second district of Minnesota

Then Mr Tawney stood with his right hand raised while Mr Fairbanks administered the oath of office

There is a Senator and a Representative from Utah who wear only a 6¾ hat but they seldom if ever go around bragging about it

LITTLE TO WORRY

Senator George Sutherland of Utah is one statesman who has little worry coming to him next month—a month which promises such distress for so many senators now nearing the end of terms Sutherland is among the end of his first term and has been very regular as a Republican Senator along with his colleague Reed Smoot Visitors from Utah who are not exactly in politics insist that Sutherland will have no opposition and will be given another term in a quiet way that will attract no special attention That is the way the Sutherland supporter wish to handle politics in Utah at present

Representative W W McCredie of the State of Washington whose home is in Vancouver is a baseball crank In fact he is president of the team in his own town This team belongs to the Pacific Northwest league and won eighty eight straight games last season

McCredie won't talk about anything else but that ball team and a friend of his When you ask him a question about something pending in the House he replies by telling you how many games the team won and all about it I asked him the other day what he thought of the plan of a tariff commission and he said there never was another such record as the Vancouver team made last summer

THORNTON BUSY

Senator Thornton the new Senator from Louisiana following the example of several new Senators has already become busy It is getting to be the custom for new Senators to get into the speaking game early in their career

A different state of affairs existed some years ago and a new man was rarely ever heard for a session or two One of the first youngsters to shock the old Senators was McConnell who had been sent to the Senate from Idaho The same Legislature that had elected him had chosen Senator Dubois for the long term and McConnell had only two months in which to make good He got busy the second day In the midst of his speech Senator Edmunds came in Turning to a Senator near by Senator Edmunds said

Who is that fellow? (That right has he in here?

Why that is Senator McConnell

Senator McConnell Where is he from?

From Idaho

When did he come and when was he sworn in? asked Senator Edmunds

Yesterday answered his neighbor

Yesterday? Well it is about time for me to resign

ACCUSES AMERICA OF GRAVE SLIGHT

Germany Resents Failure of United States Fleet to Visit Fatherland.

BERLIN Jan 14—Count von Reventlow the distinguished anti American and anti-British German naval critic takes a passing shot at the hospitality of American battleship fleet in the Deutsche Tage Zeitung

The count says that the reproductions in the Times of the complaints against the boycotting of German coasts by the American squadron brought Fiske's of letters from the United States protesting the fleet's figurary desertion may indicate a split of hostility to Germany

Von Reventlow says he appreciates these assurances of esteem and friendship but the rather moderate sentiment may not have indorsed a visit to Germany but such an impression undeniably has been created in international public opinion

FACT CANNOT BE WIPED OUT

Fact fairly screams the fact cannot be wiped out that officers of the American fleet considered and exploited the entire cruise as a political demonstration for the powers of the Anglo French entente cordiale and especially England

Commander Sims exhibitions at the Cecil hall in London of course are dismissed as an expression of unsophisticated fervescence but that description cannot the count says be applied to the deliberate and considered speeches of the lord mayor of London Ambassador Whitelaw Reid and Rear Admiral Murdock the lord mayor spoke about the relations of war when the former daughter of the empire would defend from the ax of the woodman and the tree in the shadow of the protecting branches of which she herself has grown

Mr Reid told what it could mean for the world if the flags of the two English speaking nations were to be unfurled side by side

Admiral Murdock adopted the same tone

WHY READ RIOT ACT TO SIMS?

Why asks the count has Taft read the riot act to Commander Sims, who, after all only put in expressive terms the same ideas voiced by Reid and Murdock? America should understand German unwillingness to overlook such demonstrations as here this same American friendship is highly valued But we should consider it as indignified as unwise if that friendship were of the groveling character assumed in England a split of slavish readiness for decades to suffer political and diplomatic blow after blow so long as it is emanating from Washington Quite apart from the question of dignity that would be preposterously poor business for the German empire

KAISER'S FAITH IN AIRSHIPS WEAK

Emperor Declares He Believes French Will Be Disappointed in Aerial Locomotion

BERLIN Jan 11—The Emperor recently remarked in conversation I am convinced that before long the French will be gravely disappointed in their engines of aerial locomotion Personally I have quite made up my mind as to their worth and if I am adopting them for the German army it is merely to satisfy public opinion and not because I believe in their efficiency in practical warfare

Flying is in mourning as a result of a terrible accident which occurred recently at that place Some hundreds of persons mostly young people were skating when the ice broke almost without warning and scores were precipitated into deep water A panic ensued and despite desperate attempts at rescue thirteen lives were lost five of the victims being girls and the others youths and boys

At the recent special parliamentary election at Lobiau Wellau in East Prussia the Conservative candidate polled 7216 votes the Radical 1 and the Socialist 3707 votes A second ballot will be necessary In 1903 the Conservative received 11 5 6 and the Radical and Socialist together only 4139 The Conservative decrease is 4339

AN INCREASE

Catholicism is apparently on the increase throughout the empire The Catholic population of Prussia has increased within the last forty years from 37 05 per cent of the whole to 37 80 per cent

The National Zeitung states that the crown prince during the recent visit to Pavilia told the Duchess Cael Theodor that he would visit London in May after his return from the far east

The prince was referring to the fact that he had been selected to represent the Emperor at the coronation of King George

The King of Saxony had a narrow escape from death on Tuesday when he was out hunting Carnots at Pulsnitz An avalanch fell in the immediate presence of the royal party killing one who had reached a projecting ledge and safety at the time

One of the leading retail tradesmen prepared to defraud creditors by a big theater here at Christmas time by advertisement pantomime the music of which had been written by well known composers All the shop keepers customers received free tickets for the production The plot of the pantomime concerns a rural father who goes to see poor children and gives them a treat on Christmas eve Under her guidance they went through scenes depicting all the departments of the great shop receiving presents in each and copious songs comic relief and ballets keep things going

TALK OF WAR HEARD IN IRELAND

Rabid Orangemen Talk of Arming if the Home Rule Movement Fails.

(By THOMAS EMMET)

DUBLIN Jan 14 —The North of Ireland which has long been a place of lawlessness and disorder has recently become a hotbed of crime Orange organizations are supposed to be at the back of all the trouble Orangemen I mean those respectables who have been actually talking about the necessity of resisting the government in case it should grant home rule to the Irish people

A confidential circular has been sent by the Irish executive to the police station in the North of Ireland requesting the officers in charge of counties and districts to make diligent inquiries relative to the threatened arming of the Unionists of Ulster The crown law advisers court inspectors to see that the full complement of men is attached to each station

Simultaneously it transpires the Ulster Unionist Council has passed an agreement in Germany papers asking for tenders for a large supply of rifles tenders to be addressed to the Ulster Reform Club Belfast Large consignments of what is labelled Spinning Mill Machinery have latterly been reaching districts around Belfast and finding their way into local Orange halls

STIR UP OUTBREAKS

The Orangemen have been stirring up outbreaks and the destruction of property Befast has been disgraced by outbreaks Very recently a number of its policemen were actually arrested for robbery Big cases of smuggling have been discovered in that city and recently two crooked whisky stills were located in the city

Nine young men were at the Ulster Assizes acquitted of assaulting Frank Jennison and John Foster at Derrynadd The accused are named P J Brown D Mitchell Jacob McAteer William G McClelland J Moore W J Nicholson W J Richardson Ritchie and W J Wylie

Constable P McDonald stated that Jennison and Foster were attacked by an Orange band Jennison was knocked down and kicked and struck with a dead cow pole Witness ran to his aid and begged the crowd not to kill Jennison and he added they complied with his request Jennison had failed to oppose the band's march

AN EYE OPENER

When Thomas Roberts a farmer holding 90 acres was charged at Lisnaskea with drunkenness he said he had taken six bottles of stout as he had often done at weddings and parties with the slightest deviation from sobriety He admitted he was drunk from a police standpoint and perfectly sober from the viewpoint of a citizen Why man alive he said six bottles of ale are the best eye opener for me

The guardians of the Cork Union at its last meeting had before them an amusing application for a wife The writer in his letter said

"If you has a young woman in the house between 20 and 30 years old what would make me a suitable wife I'll take her Me age is 53 and I have a pinshan from the army, and I does odd jobs around the city I has no pollicks I object to a woman wearing hobble dresses as me means would not pay for them I takes no drink unless I gets it from a friend

MATCH COMBINE THREATENED IN FRANCE

Ministry to Regulate Sale of Cigarette Lighters to Save Big Income

PARIS Jan 14—The ministry intends to lay before the chamber a bill for regulating the manufacture sale and use of portable cigarette lighters Thousands and thousands in use where they have been especially welcomed as mitigating the nuisance of the absolutely miserable quality of the matches produced by the government monopoly It is feared to safeguard the match monopoly which produces for the treasury a net profit of $ 00 000 and pays salaries to the workmen and employes $10 00

Paul Deroulede the French patriot admired by numerous Americans the one who thinks that France will one day recover the two provinces made a speech in Champagne recently defended Gambetta and denied that he had ever done anything which Edmonson to suppose that he had come to an understanding with Bismarck

In the Church of the Lazarists here Rev Jacob Sammis, of Alsace was repatriated Persia by the Archbishop of Paris

Abbe Lemire has introduced in the chamber of deputies a bill to make dueling a punishable offence The penalty varies from imprisonment for six days to five years and fine from £4 to £400 according to the gravity of the offence What drove Paris of its most popular amusement Navel

DECORATIVE MANIA SWEEPING FRANCE

PARIS Jan 14—The enormous number of decorations conferred in France for little or no reason has for a long time been regarded as a scandal and this is especially the case with regard to the Academic palms the violet ribbon with which is to be seen in the most unexpected buttonholes

M Maurice Faure minister of public instruction has appointed a committee to consider the question of remedying the abuses which are in the distribution of the Academic palms and has given to it representatives of the Temps some interesting figures illustrating the curious manner in which these decorations are given In 1908 1909 persons received this honor chiefly for the dignitaries of the universities while in 1907 the number had increased to 13 000—a figure which remains practically stationary

SANDSTORM STOPS TRAIN

ST PETERSBURG Jan 14 In consequence of a sandstorm which has raged from practically Saturday to Monday last the Orenburg Tashkend railway was completely blocked Traffic was interrupted Owing to the cold which was of unprecedented severity it was impossible to clear the line

PENALTY FOR 'DOPE FIENDS'

PEKIN Jan 14 — The Assembly has drawn up a memorandum stating that in addition to the severest possible punishment short of the death penalty for opium smoking, and the offering of rewards to informers giving information which may lead to the capture of opium fiends

If she is willing to see me I will call on at the Union next Sunday

The total output of ships last year 1910 from the shipbuilding yards of Harland & Wolff Ltd Messrs Workman Clark & Co aggregated a total of 155 tons Of the Harland & Wolff total 111 861 tons with 100 130 horse power the remaining 19 99 tons with main and horsepower 55 300 representing the output of Workman Clark & Co The latter firm last year had a grand total tonnage of 89,06

BRIAND'S STRONG HAND TO CRUSH REBELLIONS

Premier Is Determined to Prevent Recurrence of Disastrous Railway Strikes

(By GEORGE DUFRESNE)

PARIS, Jan 14—To transform a rabid, revolutionary socialist into a safe and sound statesman there is evidently no better way than to elevate him to the position of the highest responsibility and place the welfare of the whole nation in his hands The means may seem a risky one but in the case of M Briand it has been a complete success At heart undoubtedly as much in sympathy as ever with the Socialist cause M Briand has had his views broadened with his increased responsibilities and his three bills to prevent a recurrence of the disastrous railroad strikes in 1910 which cost the country millions of francs deal as severely with violent strikers as the most conservative statesman might wish and what is more M Briand intends to carry them through in spite of the torrent of abuse and denunciations from his former partisans

Acts of sabotage will be punished by terms of imprisonment of from one month to two years and fines of from 16 francs to 1000 francs Those who incite to sabotage incur the same penalties There will be no difficulty in getting Parliament to vote this bill The same may be said of the proposal to inflict from six months to two years imprisonment on the drivers stokers conductors signalmen and pointers who abandon their post in the hours of service

SUPPRESSES STRIKE

Where M Briand will meet with obstacles is in the suppression of the right to strike The railroad men have always jealously asserted this privilege and former ministers have admitted the principle Arbitration for the solution of conflicts is proposed There will be a Central Conciliation Committee and Local Conciliation Committees The members will be chosen from lists approved by the Chamber and the Senate There is a clause which attacks the General Labor Confederation Any union of associations or syndicates including railway men to strike or supplying them with the means to strike comes under the penal provisions of the law

It is to be feared that the temper of the Radical Socialist elements in the chamber will refuse to accept so drastic a policy No doubt Conservatives Nationalists and Progressives will support M Briand through and through but the Prime Minister has proclaimed that he would sooner retire from his office than govern by reactionary votes Hence probably the explanation of the rumors that the Briand cabinet has not long to live

NORMAN FETES

Fetes which are certain to excite immense interest outside as well as in France are to take place this summer at Rouen and other Norman towns and also among the Normans in Paris who form a sturdy colony here of quite 100,000 The festivities are to be held in celebration of the thousandth anniversary of the settlement of Rollon Ganger which marked the beginning of the Norman state M Pallieres has accepted the presidency of the honorary committee in his city which includes many Normans well known in the domains of politics literature and art, while the working committee, with M Salles as its head, is already busy on the organization of the fetes which will take place in Paris on June 17 and 18 and among which may be noted a reception of the delegations that will come from abroad, a grand ceremony at the Sorbonne a gala soiree and a banquet Although a subscription has only been opened quite recently among the Normans, the sum of $2000 has already been collected but the committee is appealing to them for funds on a very generous scale as the object is to give the utmost eclat to these festivities

VIEWED WITH INTEREST

As I have remarked this commemoration is bound to be viewed with the greatest interest abroad as well as in this country as there are so many people of Norman origin not only in England but in many another land The great Northman Rolf Tollo or Rou to give him his Scandinavian Latin and French names received from Charles the Simple a grant of land in which Rouen was situated and which extended eastward to the Epte and to the Dive on the west Such was the beginning of the Norman state, which owing to the valiance and ability of its dukes and their subjects long wielded an influence in Europe which was out of all proportion to its size I may add that foreigners of Norman origin will be present at the festivities as deputations will be constituted for this express purpose and that they will receive the heartiest of welcomes

BURNS HUSBAND

From a provincial town comes a weird story of a woman who is alleged to have burned her husband alive in the presence of the three children a son aged seven ten, and two daughters aged respectively eleven and fifteen The couple it seems were not very happy of late the wife being exceedingly jealous of her husband and causing frequent scenes She is also alleged to have developed a regular mania for prosecution and made life a burden to her husband and all those around her The poor man finally said that he could stand it no longer He would leave her and go with their children to live with his parents

The following night his wife it is alleged waited until he was asleep and then she poured a bottle of petroleum over the bed and set fire to it In a moment the poor man was enveloped in flames and as he jumped out screaming with pain he said to her in the presence of his children Wretched woman you have done this He died from his burns a few hours later The woman was arrested and denied that she had done it A bottle which had contained petroleum was found at the foot of the bed but she says that she does not know how it got there It is believed that she must have done it during a moment of insanity which it is alleged, is hereditary in her family three children out of nine having been sent to lunatic asylums

Women Who Influence Europe

Duchess Sophia of Hohenburg, (Left), Morganatic Wife of the Heir to the Austrian Throne, and Her Youngest Child.

Marquise de Ganay (Right), Who Has Vigorously Denounced the Bad Manners of the Modern French Gentlemen.

Julia Suton Sears (Below), Founder of the New Thought Religion, Who Has Decided to Depart From England, Owing to Her Failure to Impress English Society With Her New Ideas

LONDON TO BALK INROAD OF AMERICAN MEAT TRUST

Municipally-Owned Cold Storage to Be Feature of Big City's Proposed Industry

(By PHILLIP EVERETT)

LONDON Jan 14—The American meat trust which has just been patting itself on the back for having apparently succeeded in forming a world wide concern able to dictate to the people of the nations what they should eat and what prices they should pay is doomed to meet with a great disappointment here in London for the great city in the world is seriously thinking of placing the meat business entirely under its own control and as a first step in this direction immense municipal cold storage plants are to be constructed at the Smithfield market where practically all meat consumed in London is handled and sold

A committee has been formed for that purpose and has been empowered not only to prepare plans and estimates showing the cost of municipal cold stores but also to obtain information as to the existing private cold stores which it is thought will find it advantageous or fair and just to secure for complete monopoly of the cold storage trade in the district

MUNICIPAL STORES

The establishment of municipal cold stores may have far reaching results upon the meat trade In order to appreciate the situation it is necessary to remember that when the city built the Central meat market fifty years ago it built what was then considered ample cold storage and refrigerating plant which has long since been outgrown and have quite altered the trend of the trade When the market was established nearly the whole of the supplies were English now about 80 per cent are foreign Cold storage and refrigeration have enabled foreign meat to be kept in excellent condition and correspondingly to boom trade as well as to bring the market the increased supplies from the ranches of the United States and the Argentine Republic

The Duke of Fillare presided at the dinner given by the Cabdriver Benevolent Association

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AIR OWNERSHIP PUZZLES LAWYERS

The International Committee of Aerial Law at Work On Answer.

LONDON Jan 14 [illegible]

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PAGEANTRY MAKES APPEAL TO KING GEORGE V

Stately Affair Planned for Coronation of British Ruler; February 6 to See Parliament's Opening

(By WILLIAM T STEAD)

LONDON Jan 15—The announcement that the King and queen accompanied by the Prince of Wales will open Parliament on February 6 has given general satisfaction to the Liberals It is taken as a sign that the king is resuming his following the illness of his mother and his abdication to hang between life and death Only a few months ago it was the intention of the government to open Parliament in person but the King's illness prevented this The Liberals will be glad to see the ceremonial satisfactorily finished by the King himself Protestants will be glad to see that all traces of the Catholic character of the Parliament of the Union have disappeared from the ceremonies

The scrupulous regard with which the king observes all the traditions of his office was shown by his subjects throughout the country by the universal attention to the Coronation Oath which aroused general comment because the next New Year's day is the great Nativity day and it is hoped that he will be in time to read the Declaration for the benefit of the Roman Catholic members of Parliament

COW KILLING A CRIME

If cow killing is prohibited by the declaring the Covenant between Hindoos to whom killing is a sacrilege

I have had the opportunity of discussing the King's contemplated visit to India with the Indian Princes Legislators of Anglo Indian Indian Nationalists and others once I had the honor for deputation which waited upon the Viceroy advising The difficulty is to avoid the danger of the Prince's visit being used by disaffected persons to create disturbances which must be suppressed by force which would be disastrous to the Prince's reputation

I hear it is Mr Asquith's intention to give the Indians a chance of showing that they are worthy of the confidence reposed in them by the British people by passing a measure granting self government to India which will be a counterblast against the Irish agitation

WILL STAND NO NONSENSE

He will meet the next session of Parliament with the enthusiastic loyalty of his followers but with a strong opinion abroad that he will stand no nonsense from the Irish Nationalists or the Labor party

The political reputation of Lord Rosebery since the publication of his letter in which he expressed his preference as to the United States and the British one good effect It caused thousands of people throughout the world to ask what Rosebery said for one person who had read the letter The circulation of the Times was increased by the interest in the letter and the opponents of the Irish Home Rule expressed regret to be ungratified upon having advertised throughout the world what would otherwise have passed unnoticed as an insignificant sentence in an after dinner speech

I was lunching with the Lord Mayor the day the papers announced the arrival of the Irish American and German delegates to Washington Shortly Strong one of the kindest hearted of men proposed the profound sympathy that the people of the country should have for Lord Rosebery in the unexpected misfortune that had come to one of its honored guests Sir Vesey said

I am afraid I left him on a cold scent when I was with Lord Rosebery

LOOKS YEARS YOUNGER

I lunched with Lord Morley the other day I was delighted to find that the cessation of the labors of the Indian office had produced a most gratifying change in his appearance His looks yesterday reminded me of Gladstone when after a long session of Parliament the latter had succeeded in getting rid of the Irish Church bill

Lord Morley is looking forward with keen interest to the visit of the Indian Princes to England in the autumn when they will be the guests of the King and Queen at Windsor and Buckingham Palace

RACING TROPHIES AT SCOTTISH FAIR

Three Oldest Bells in Existence Will Be Put On Display

LONDON Jan 14 — At the Scottish Exhibition of Natural History to be held in Glasgow horse racing trophies which are among the oldest in existence will be on retail exhibition These are the Hunter Bells and Jamieson Bell attached to a [illegible] which are said to be [illegible] years old and known as the Gilbert Bell so called in honor of Gilbert Hamilton who [illegible] Two hundred years ago [illegible] God bless the Duke of Hamilton and the Hunter Bells from Paisley

These trophies are of silver [illegible] about four inches long will be [illegible] less than one half that size of the late Duke of Hamilton Hunter Bell by the Clerk of Paisley [illegible] Christopher Hunter [illegible] Paisley [illegible] Hunter Bell [illegible] Jamieson Bell [illegible] Gilbert Bell [illegible]

[illegible] Miss Fitzwood [illegible] Worlaby [illegible] Miss Fitzwood was in the usual grand attire of the [illegible] After service began she threw [illegible] people and when she came out [illegible] Cabdriver Benevolent Association [illegible] Cabdriver Benevolent Association [illegible]

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DUCHESS PAYS A VISIT TO EXHIBIT

Sophia of Hohenburg Uses Diplomacy in Interesting Herself

VIENNA Jan 14—Archduke Ferdinand, heir apparent to the throne and his consort Duchess Sophia of Hohenburg recently visited an exhibition of household work at the Housewives Industry Institute and made inquiries as to the objects of the institute and its organization

The interest shown by the duchess is gratifying to the various ladies who form charitable motives are encouraging many industries Teachers undertaking the sale of lace and other needlework are being sent around with new patterns to purchase and the [illegible] to [illegible] handicraft [illegible] domination

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Duchess Sophia [illegible] apparently [illegible] Princes [illegible] will be prominently [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Around the Library Table

Reviews of the Latest Books of Fiction, Travel and Science

By Mollie E. Conners

Gossip About Makers of Books and Their Work

A POOR seamstress, Marguerite Audoux, has won the Academy of Women prize of 5000 francs in Paris The Latin Quarter is rejoicing For years it has degenerated into more or less a foreign quarter where alleged French students lived in garrets, disporting their well-worn cloaks a la Rudolph and hefding the American students to spend their money Work? Why, that was considered a secondary matter One went to the Quartier Latin with his mind full of 'La vie de Boheme and pathetic Minis and naughty Musettas No one expected wonders from a Latin Quarter student Paris had ceased to be disappointed at the lack of genius blossoming forth from the famous Boul' Miche

Now Paris wonders, and it is a woman a poor seamstress, halt blind through overwork, that has caused such a sensation

Away from the throbbing life of the city, far from the lights of the gay boulevards, in a garret high up in a tenement house near the Montparnasse station, overlooking the Boulevard Basspail, lives Marguerite Audoux

Nobody knew her a month ago Now her name figures in large type in all the Paris newspapers columns of reviews deal with her life and her work reporters call on her at all hours and photographers are eager to get her for a sitting

A few days ago Mlle Audoux was wondering where the money for her rent would come from Now he does not worry over it

WORKS ADMIRED

Her book Marie Claire ' has worked the miracle It has been awarded the prize of 5000 francs offered by La Vie Heureuse, a Paris weekly for the best book written by a French writer during the year

The prize bears the name of Prize of the Academy of Women but no consideration has been given to the sex of the competitor

With Marie Claire many other books had been entered for the competition some of them by well known writers whose name on the cover of a book assures its sale The judges have considered their works nowhere near in value to the simple life story of Marguerite Audoux

Of late years there has been no literary sensation in Paris equal to this announcement She has written a simple story of how she lived her lonely life since the day her mother died up to the present moment

It is noteworthy that the book contains no sensation of any sort It is simple in thought simple in construction, simple in form

Octave Mirbau one of the best known contemporary French writers was so taken by the story that he wrote a preface to it He says After reading 'Marie Claire' although not wishing to wound any one's sensibility you will be puzzled to find among our writers including those who have already gained great glory one who could have written on the same subject with such brilliancy such perfect construction and such purity of style

BORN IN NORMANDY

Marguerite Audoux was born in Normandy where her father was a poor peasant Some friendly nuns in her neighborhood brought her up and hoped she would join their convent Instead of that she packed her small belongings in a bundle and went to Paris where she sewed for a living Her eyes giving out she thought she would write the story of her life

Mirbau of the Academy read her manuscript He declares that he could not leave the book He was on of the judges for the Academy of Women prize and as such he had the right to present one author for competition He decided at once to futher Mlle Audoux and to show his admiration for her work he wrote the preface himself

The judges declared it an easy winner and naturally there are now many who try to discredit Marguerite's genius by suggesting that Marie Claire is not her work but that she has either been helped by somebody or else she has appropriated a manuscript of her late friend Charles Louis Philippe

Marguerite Audoux smiles at this gossip She has shown her visitors her own manuscript and it is a mass of corrections Any one can see that she has labored hard with her speling and sometimes with her grammar but the story and the construction are there never interrupted never change

All those who have corrected her proofs stand by her and are happy with her for her triumph

Marie Claire is the book a la mode the literary sensation of the year

An English translation will soon be forthcoming but whoever can read French even a little ought to read it in the original Such a pure simple clear style is a rare treat There is nothing distasteful in it The life of the girl on her father's farm the years in the convent her struggles in Paris her routine of work her ideals her sorrows her ambitions are charming reading and the name of Marguerite Audoux the seamstress writer is likely to become as well known abroad as it is now in her own country

RECALLS ANECDOTE

Among the literary notes of the hour one reads

Less than twenty years ago when Robert Alexander Wason the autho of The Steering Wheel was working in his father's general store in Delphi Ind he received an appointment as al rnate at West Point I wrote to the principal says Mr Wason and h informed me that he was six feet tall un at lets and a school teacher who would have no trouble with the mental examit at on so I merely studied up at home When I left for the examinations I could work every problem in all the arithmetics I could find and answer all the questions in history and geography that could be listed West Point was my big dream at that time, and when I found that ill health had grabbed the principal I could not sleep nights At t at time there were more officers than jobs and the plan at the Point was to invert an examination which no outsider could possibly prepare for I was found deficient in writing and spelling This examination consisted of writing an extract from an account of a siege in the Middle Ages and an officer read it aloud It was filled with technical terms entirely foreign to a general store and I fell back on phonetic spelling and undying hope A band was playing under the window the cadets were drilling in duck uniforms and I went to my doom with the tears flooding my heart. The greatest gift that I received from this experience was immunity from extreme disappointment Never again could I fail as far When it was over, I hired a boat and rowed against the current but could not get tired I climbed up to old Fort Putnam and looked down at the Point in the twilight, and oh, but I was sore! Still it was a useful lesson"

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One of the new books of the month is written by Russell Waters, president of one of the large banks of Los Angeles Mr Waters has given his book the Spanish title of 'El Estranjero (The Stranger) It is one of the very recent books of the West And apropos of 'The West ' one reads in a current magazine

WESTERN FICTION

The chief drawback to what is called western fiction is that most of it is written by men and women having a limited literary skill or that it is produced by men and women whose knowledge of the West is gained from a flying trip of examination or even from a car window The masters of story telling are lamentably few on the law of averages which applies everywhere the number of men and women who live in the West and who can tell a story worth while is positively fewer The country has been flooded of late with so called Western stories most of which appear to have originated in New York and New England and the grade of the output is dreadfully poor

Western writers themselves as a rule fail to grasp the spirit of what they would tell about There seems to be a theory abroad in the land that if one will only idealize the Indian and grow mawkish over the disappearing race of cowboys throw in a reference or two to the ranchman's beautiful daughter and bring it out so that the hero and heroine will live happily ever after the compound will make a Western story that will sell anywhere

As a result the cowboy was deluged with stories of Western life not true at all to the real spirit of the West of today But when a man of wide experience a man of culture who has succeeded in life who has grown up with the West writes a novel it is for the West to give it a welcome worth while The new book shows excellent literary workmanship tells a story worth while and has a Western background exceedingly well drawn and absolutely faithful in every detail It is a book that one would choose for one's Eastern friends and marks the advent of a California writer worth while

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'THE GOLDEN WEB

'The Golden Web by Anthony Partridge is published by Little Brown & Company of Boston

The skill of Anthony Partridge improves with each successive book In a comparatively short time he has taken his place among the most entertaining story tellers of the day Possessing fertility of invention skilled in character drawing and with a gift for facile narration he endows each of his novels with an atmosphere of reality As a writer of mystery stories Anthony Partridge is at his best With an unbounded imagination he conceives a daring plot and awakens interest at the start by providing an abundance of romantic and dramatic incident he leaes the absorbed reader on with a rapidity of movement from one chapter to another until he is ready to dischose his most effective denouement

A year ago Mr Partridge's Passers By was one of the most popular novels of his latest book The Golden Web is a story of the same type with an involved plot hinging upon the struggle for possession of the little deed to the Little Anna gold mine and the success of incidents the situations in which the people of the story are placed cannot fail to excite the reader's interest But more than this it is a vibrant love story with a charming self willed heroine who will win your sympathy at once We predict that The Golden Webb will be one of the first big successes of the new year

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"BOOK OF BASTINGS '

Beckie's Book of Bastings is published by Joseph M Anderson of Sacramento and represents a series of quotations arranged by Mrs William Beckman One understands the reason for part of the title in the dedication

To the friends who abbreviate my name and call me Becky and to those unknown I give a thought a word herein that might help amuse and entertain

Some of Beckie's quotations are unusually clever for one reads

She was like Tennyson's brook running on forever only she went without lolit er pat with a supple tongue that never flagged or fumbled in commenting on her neighbors faults and foibles keenly analyzing prescriptions her mixture and construction the status of doom is and other equally important furnishings of the house of her friends finding flaws in everything There was absolutely nothing in the kitchen inquisitorial approval Her home heart and place to eat and sleep but the homes of her neighbors meant places to criticise In this she was constant in her insistence Like the mole she preferred the gloom of the earth burrowed in the darkness of fault finding rather than the cheerful sunny ways but sees without seeing and commented on that which should be sacred to us—our neighbors belongings their manners and their mode of living

Laughter bristles its wings against the serious things of life and it's a good thing to laugh There are funny spots of gay matter in the stern make up of every one Even in animals and birds it is noticeable The more we try to develop these spots and cause a shrinkage in the grouchy ones the better for us all

She was so happy with the mere man that judging from limited observations I thought she must have struck a bargain counter or rummage sale when she found him I am no posing as an image breaker hence would not shatter her idol Time would do that She would find her will power not equal to his want power soon enough

SAVING GRACE

The saving grace of humor in me and my ability to steer around the uncertain characteristics of people who show placid, pleasing and innocent surfaces has helped me to avoid many snags in the current of life I can see far enough below the outward seeming to detect the hidden qualities the shams the hypocrisy and deceit that lie beneath as well as the sterling truth and honesty in those who like myself believe in honesty and stability I do not like shams I want silk, not near silk if wool or linen, not near or mixed, in goods and in friends An out and out friend or enemy I like, but mixed or uncertain qualities need to be treated with humor otherwise life would simply be pathetic

I am not one who fattens on strife nor feasts on the mishaps of my enemies I would rather train the tendrils of my morning glories and teach them the way they should go than to train my neighbors either in thought or action I would rather gaze into flower cups of my own moon flowers and gather the great bunches of wisteria and odorous daphne blooms, than busy myself about what is in the cups of my next door neighbor I prefer breathing the air of God's great, generous free out of-doors life, than trying to sample or comment on that within other people's doors I would rather go through life moulting my own illusions even while growing new ones than pry into affairs that I consider belong to the great Judge of the quick and the dead

An Italian sunset shows charming color tones

The peasants among the vineyards were singing tender love songs as they toiled there were shrines of the Madonna in villages upon the hillsides above the Roman Campagna and vine-tangled towers radiant in the setting sun showed here and there A drowsy hum of falling waters, a hum of insects and the soft twittering of birds were mixed and intermingled with deeper tones from far away bells Confused jumbling inexplicable sounds like the strains from the music of chaos reached me as I sat, or an opal tinted afternoon on the heights above Tivoli and looked down upon the gnarled old olive trees As in a dream I saw the places where Cassius and Brutus once lived and further down a flock of doves encircled the place where Palmyras queen Zenobia, dwelt No voice comes from the Sybils Temple no prophecies as of old tell of the past or what the future may have in store A mystic pathetic charm restful and soothing as it is enthralling takes possession of me as I gaze down on these remnants of ages gone by shrouded in gray the color of antiquity a gray we love in nature mixed with green the color of hope—death in life life in death The sun has gone the night is chill there is only an evening framed in blue gray hills

CALIFORNIA WINTER

And of a California winter one reads The eucalypti from far Australia and feathery acacias blooming in mid winter are in my own garden while the glorious glowing camellias rich in semi tropical bloom show an over abundance of florescence at a time when ice and snow wrap the Eastern States in cold death like embrace Here in our far state capital we revel in the fragrance of dishes of green grass and clover blooms among which gleams the iris of Nile and Japan There are quiet untroubled waters where float the water lilies and lotus of the Orient and in sunny nooks the papyrus of the Nile waves its gray bushy hair like head and nods to every passing breeze California is truly a hospitable place where plant children have been welcomed from all climes of the globe and they in return for the welcome have repaid for their nourishing and adoption by growing more beautiful and more varied in form and color And I living amid such wealth of color and beauty count myself blessed and see love and understand not with the unseeing eyes of the blind but with clearer vision love the Master Creator and Builder all the more

MOLLIE E CONNERS

GOTHAM BLUECOAT COMPOSES POETRY

Theodore Dulfer Rides Pegasus During His Few Spare Hours

NEW YORK Jan 14—Instead of playing pinochle while on post at night Theodore Dulfer a policeman detailed to the Jamaica station in Queens composes poems in Platt-deutsch

He evolves his lyrics while tramping the lanes that compose his lonely beat pausing now and then under the rays of an electric light to jot the rhymes into the notebook which once served to record complaints when he was on a busier post in Manhattan

Dulfer recently had his poems printed and bound and sent an autographed copy to Mayor Gaynor Being uncertain as to the ability of the mayor to read his poems in the original he translated several The following stanza struck the fancy of the mayor

I was and was not was to be but
all that seems so queer to me
What was I When I knew I was
When I reflecting in the glass
Saw what was here and still knew
not how I should struggle with my lot
And I to be or not to be That question Well it puzzles me

Dulfer also paid his tribute to the boys and girls who apparently pestered him more or less during his day duties To the American Girl he wrote

The American girl is bad—
With exceptions, of course now and then—
In the cradle they dream about marrying a lad
And when big about divorce from a man

To the boys he wrote

The American boy is bad—
With exceptions of course now and then—
He is a man when he should be a lad
And a boy when he should be a man

After several attempts to acknowledge the receipt of the poems in verse the mayor gave it up and wrote the following

Dear Officer Dulfer I thank you for sending me your book of poems I suppose you composed them in your head as you trudged around on your lonely beat probably somewhere in the outskirts of the city.

Fraternal Societies of Alameda County

Mrs Georgiana Hodgman, department junior vice-president of the Women's Relief Corps, recently installed the officers of Lookout Mountain Women's Relief Corps, of Berkeley, where Mrs Eva C Darling was placed in the president's chair Her staff of officers were installed as follows

Albine C Wilson, senior vice president, Margaret Wiseman, junior vice-president, Carrie Le Hoyt, chaplain, Lesh Beck, secretary Esther Church treasurer, Maud Cunningham conductress, Theodore Pfaff guard Carrie Muller, assistant conductress, Miranda Rittenhouse assistant guard, Mrs L D Bailey, Stella Iddings, musicians Laura Nelson, first color bearer Jessie Collins second color bearer, Elizabeth Allen, third color bearer and Mrs R Herst, fourth color bearer

MODERN WOODMEN

Poinsetta Camp, No 5834 Royal Neighbors of America, and Hayward Camp Modern Woodmen of America, held a joint public installation of officers January 10 in Native Sons hall in Hayward

The interesting ceremonies of installation of the Royal Neighbors of America were performed by Deputy Carrie Watson of Oakland assisted by Ceremonial Marshal M Alamada of Hayward After taking the oath of office each officer was invested with the jewel of her office and escorted to her station

Following were the officers installed

Oracle Agnes E Leonard vice oracle Clara Oliver past oracle Molly Alamada chancellor Rose Smith recorder, Lizzie Silva receiver Marguerite Massa, marshal Mae Silva inside sentinel Kate Martin, outside sentinel Rose Morton, musician Carolyn Kelly, physician Dr Nielsen manager Matthew Stephens

State Lecturer H W Brunk of Berkeley acted as installing officer for Hayward camp assisted by Chief Forester Keeler also of Berkeley and the drill team of Golden Gate camp of Oakland

The officers installed were as follows

Consul Henry Klee consul advisor A Martin past consul Wm King banker Frank Oliver clerk Matthew Stephens escort Frank Lewis

Drill team of Golden Gate camp entertained all present with their fine drilling which received many complimentary remarks

Among the invited guests were Deputies B M Watson and wife State Lecturer H W Brunk and wife Chief Forester Keeler, members of the drill team of Golden Gate camp were among the visitors

The lodge room was artistically decorated with greens and poinsettas in keeping with the flower of the camp The chandeliers and official stations were draped with greens between which were beautiful poinsettas appeared and arranged bouquets were placed about the room

After the installation ceremonies a banquet was enjoyed Greens and poinsettas entwined about myriads of tiny lights formed the color scheme

Oracle A F Leonard on behalf of both camps appointed Deputy B M Watson as toastmaster Among the other speakers were State Lecturer Brunk and Chief Forester Keeler

The banquet concluded by the guests giving three rousing cheers for the local Neighbors and Modern Woodmen after which all adjourned to the ball room where dancing was indulged in to a late hour

At the conclusion of an exceptionally pleasant evening the guests unanimous consent voted the Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen right royal entertainers

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

The Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of America held a joint installation in Knights of Pythias hall Alameda last Monday evening The hall was decorated in green and red berries the lights were draped in purple and white the Royal Neighbors colors

Neighbor Watson of Golden Gate camp acted as installing officer assisted by Neighbor Hartley as marshal After the ceremonies the installing officer was presented with a bouquet of carnations as a token of appreciation for her excellent work

Later the Modern Woodmen were installed after which several of the officers delivered addresses

During the banquet District Deputy Watson delivered an address Mrs Gerald Hartley was presented with a silver ornament by the Royal Neighbors in recognition of her services for the past year

COMPANIONS OF FORESTERS

Court Advocate No 7548 and Pride of the Forest circle No 12 held a joint installation Friday evening January 13 at Pythian Castle when Grand Deputy Mr Liddy assisted by the board of officers installed the officers of the court and the officers of the circle D Deputy Mrs W N Wetmore assisted by Miss Frances Wetmore and Miss Regina Anderson

In behalf of the Pride of the Forest circle the deputy presented Walter Fithen with a pair of decorations after which he was installed as an honorary member for services rendered as recording secretary for the past five years

Deputy officers mentioned all received gifts in the banquet room where a delicious repast was served Speeches were made by deputies W Duncan S Wetmore and A C Pergins a member of both orders acted as toastmaster During conclusion the evenings entertainment

MRS. GEORGINA HODGMAN, department junior vice-president of the Women's Relief Corps, who installed the officers of Lookout Mountain, W. R C., recently. —Arrowsmith Photo

stall the officers The session will be for members only

ORDER OF OWLS

The regular meeting of Nest 1007 Order of Owls was enlivened by the installation of officers for the ensuing term Castle Hall was crowded last Monday evening with the members who had gathered to witness the interesting ceremony Deputy Supreme President Sarah Bach officiated and the following were installed Past president T G Walker president A H Hahn vice president John Beal investator P J McInnis secretary F L Hodges elected treasurer H B Sharp reelected warden W Brownell sentinel Edward Schabat outlet O D Brown trustee B F Waller physician Dr R J McCracken druggist W A Wishart

A large class of candidates were initiated A banquet followed Music and speeches were features of the evening

REBEKAH

Absit Invidia Rebekah Lodge I O O F held installation of officers last Tuesday evening in Fortnightly Nineteenth and Grove streets where Mrs Mary Davis was installed as noble grand With the assistance of the noble grand elect the ceremonies were conducted by the past officers of the lodge which is one of the largest Rebekah degree lodges in this city

The officers were served as follows Miss Mary Davis noble grand Mrs Mary Lee vice grand Mrs Minnie Long financier past grand Mrs Annie Carl Chapman Miss Anna Fonda recording secretary Miss Jennie Hirsh financial secretary

The months dance will be held next Tuesday evening and the members have been invited to invite their friends as guests

RELIEF CORPS

An installation was held in Masonic hall Saturday evening January 7 by Joe Hooker Women's Relief Corps auxiliary to Joe Hooker Post No 3 Grand Army of the Republic Officers were installed by District Deputy Mrs Ella C Hill assisted by the department installing officer assisted by the officers of Ivon Women's Relief Corps No 6 The corps was instituted December 21 and registers some of the leading club women of Alameda

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ROYAL ARCANUM

Santa Cruz Council Royal Arcanum will install officers next Friday evening January 16 in Pythian Castle where all affiliated members will be admitted It is expected that two new applicants will be received

The review of the losses paid the families during the past year of deceased members of the Royal Arcanum displays the splendid work the fraternal organizations are accomplishing Aside from the statement of securities held to cover the Royal Arcanum emergency fund by the treasurer of the State of Massachusetts can be gleaned a list of the stability of the organization which three years old and benefit fifty thousand families is putting almost 400 000

For the council shows the greatest increase in membership the state officers have announced a prize of $50 in addition to what it looks like a silver mounted gavel to be presented by Frother Grunderfest

MACCABEES

At the regular review last Monday night the initiation of Laughon and Wright Commander S W Hall assisted by his staff and under direction of Captain Mentz mercy installed the officers of Oakland Tent No 27 Second Master of the guard M Quinn was installed by proxy Past Commander J D Phillips was the recipient of the regulation jewel which is presented upon each retiring commander Great Commander Hall made the presentation Dancing followed the exercises

A committee presenting at tentions in the Bay Cities is formulating plans for a campaign for members to culminate in a grand rally and class initiation to take place on or about April 1 The principal feature of the program will be a reception to Supreme Commander D P Markey

The house warming and reception given by Argonaut Tent No 33 Knights of the Maccabees proved to be a grand success in every way and afforded an evening of entertainment to a large number of Maccabees and their families The following excellent program was rendered and every participant was obliged to respond to an encore

Violin solo Mr Garcia accompanied by Miss Garcia song Mr A C Thomas piano solo Miss Ruth Elliott Hawaiian songs Mrs Hieders humorous songs Mr J K Miller recitation Miss Louise Jorgenson dance Miss Jorgenson and Miss Alva Hines

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served and boxes of candy oranges and apples were distributed to young and old Dancing followed and all returned to their homes singing the praises of Argonaut Tent as royal entertainers

On January 11 Great Commander S W Hall assisted by the entire staff installed the newly elected officers at a public installation in an impressive manner before a large audience

Argonaut Tent is now financially awake has a full set of officers and during the coming campaign with its new grand deputy commander Kennedy hopes to add a hundred new members to its roll Argonaut Tent now meets every Friday evening at Macabee Temple, corner Eleventh and Clay streets

UNITED WORKMEN

The Workmen of Oakland will hold a joint meeting at the lodge room of Oak Leaf Lodge No 9 Long hall 531 Eleventh corner of Clay street Monday evening January 19 when the supreme representative will give reports of the recent meeting of the supreme lodge All Workmen around the bay have been extended an invitation to attend The bonds taken up by the lodges of the Supreme Grand Lodge of Workmen of California Oak Leaf Lodge No 9 and Liberty Lodge No 1 have received the amounts from the grand lodge

FRATERNAL AID

The Fraternal Aid association met last Tuesday evening in the lodge room at Twelfth and Brush streets in pleasant meeting and numerous friends of the members were present as well as Deputy D L Lichty of San Francisco past president The committee in charge arranged the tables promptly at the appointed hour for whist and the game of fifteen players began A battle of card supremacy for the seat and prizes offered in the shape of cut glass and hand painted china The honors were carried away by Mrs Du Chanois and Charles Hauser After the prizes were awarded the company stepped to the banquet room to the feast of the novel fast that was served The February meeting of the lodge will mark the initial between Bloriah and Franklin Hill in all No Age this is being arranged for with the degree February 10 so that will be the opening evening and the annual banquet speech making and entertainment will be held Admittance by invitation only as the committee are arrange to seat only a limited number Lodge meetings hereafter at 8 p m sharp

AMERICANS

The Americans of Oakland Assembly No [illegible] the order's affairs of the assembly at a series of dances and banquets On the evening of January 10 the newly installed officers took up their work and were royally welcomed and congratulated with the following exceptions Grand Worthy Matron Josephine Gearhard judge Sister Long scribe Sister Louise Philbrick K of F Sister Florence McDowell captain Brother Ira Wolfe guide Brother Charles Peterson K of I G Sister L Knott K of O G Sister Hertel Marshall Ben Hur, Brother A Ralston, Mother of Hur Sister Angeline Small Sister Redane M of C, Brother Philbrick

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the new chief ruler addressed the court after which she called upon visiting court members from San Francisco and other Bay courts who responded to the call On behalf of Court No 8 A E Clark presented Sister Kell with a jeweled pin and retiring chief Brothers with an engraved gold watch fob Both were recompensed with words of appreciation on their past good work Mrs Kelly presented Henry Peterson with a complete set of silverware as a mark of esteem as well as appreciation of his faithful services to the court Henry Peterson leaves with his bride to make his home in the north and with his departure Oakland court loses one of its best officers After the session refreshments and dancing completed the exercises of the evening

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PYTHIAN SISTERS

Calanthe Temple Pythian Sisters held a business session on Tuesday evening when the following officers were installed Past Chief Ruler Bertha Dahl Senior Ruler Alice Purington Junior Ruler Bertha Dahl Manager Stein Financier Grace Hoff Recorder Ida Salada and Correspondent Nettie Purington

After the regular initiation night and one candidate will be received into the mysteries of the order

Loyal Temple No 4 will have installation of officers on January 18 Supreme Manager Lilly Sarue will install the following new officers Excellent Chief Nina Dietz senior Pearl Jacobs junior Sister Decodova manager Jennie Goodman mistress of records and seal Louise Helms protector Elsie Gustee guard of outer temple Gertrude Green

TRIBE OF BEN HUR

The installation of the officers of Oakland Court No 6 took place last Thursday evening Sister A P Kelly supreme teacher acting as the calling officer assisted by Sisters Ethel Long Clark Parker Oliver Tingley and Rose Clark as supreme officers The work was well exemplified and the team complimented The following are the officers who will conduct the business for the ensuing term P C, S J Brothers, chief, Sister Josephine Gearhard judge Sister Long scribe Sister Louise Philbrick K of F Sister Florence McDowell captain Brother Ira Wolfe guide Brother Charles Peterson K of I G Sister L Knott K of O G Sister Hertel Marshall Ben Hur, Brother A Ralston, Mother of Hur Sister Angeline Small Sister Redane M of C, Brother Philbrick

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breaking even on the play for the evening by losing three to Oakland

Unity No 61, showed a flash of speed and captured two games from Liberty, No 35, and three from Athens, the Cellar Champs, Liberty also imposing on Athens by taking three heats and turning the tables on Unity by trimming them in two fast heats, one ending in a tie and later won by Liberty This being one of the ladies' nights was followed by the New Year dance of Unity lodge and brought out an immense crowd who thoroughly enjoyed the games and caused a great amount of good natured rivalry among the rooters for their favorite teams The club passing teams will hold their third annual dance at Rice Institute hall February 21, when the Knights and their ladies, who will be the guests will witness an exhibition of club passing by the four fastest teams of the league

The second half of the tournament will open in San Francisco at California lodge next Monday night and at Live Oak lodge Wednesday night January 18, Pythian Castle Oakland All teams will start with a clean score and a hot pace will be set for the balance of the season as every team is exceedingly anxious to win one of the beautiful silver cups which the games committee has offered for first and second prizes as well as the Lewis perpetual cup which must be won twice by one team before it becomes their permanent property It was won last year by the fast Dirigo Demons

Below is the official standing of the teams to date and the order in which they finished the first series

	Won	Lost	Fouls	Pct
Alameda	27	0	26	975
Oakland	24	3	11	877
Piedmont	20	7	39	702
California	19	8	38	666
Harmonie	12	15	39	400
Live Oak	12	15	48	401
Phoenix	9	18	72	261
Unity	7	20	38	221
Liberty	5	22	18	187
Athens	0	27	23	000

Fruitvale Lodge No 56 Knights of Pythias held its installation of officers last Monday night in its lodge rooms in Carpenters' hall District Deputy Grand Chancellor E T Hosford of Alameda lodge, No 49, was present with his officers and proceeded to install the following officers who will serve for the ensuing term Chancellor commander T P Black, vice chancellor, D L Wilson prelate, D O Hildebrand, master of work, George C Darling, keeper of records and seal, G H Hagy, master of finance, H J Whitely, master of exchequer H C Townsend, inner guard, J E Woods outer guard, J B Wren

After the installation ceremonies were completed, the members enjoyed a smoker together with a large delegation of visiting members from Amazon Alameda and Dirigo lodges, one of the features of the evening being the presentation of a very handsome past chancellor's jewel to P C Darling upon his retirement from the executive office of the lodge The presentation speech was made by Past Chancellor Horace V Carter

Next Monday night a progressive whist tournament will begin with the members of Amazon Lodge No 11 picked teams from each lodge to play a series of nine games the winning lodge to receive a beautiful silver mounted gavel

Arrangements are now under way by the members of Fruitvale lodge for the celebration of their fourth anniversary which will be held the latter part of February

The Alameda County Bureau of Relief of the Knights of Pythias held its annual election of officers at the regular meeting last Saturday night in Pythian Castle The following officers were chosen to serve the bureau for the ensuing term Chairman John C Ellsworth secretary George H Hagy treasurer T P Black

At the close of the meeting the members adjourned to a local cafe and enjoyed a sumptuous repast after which Chairman J C Ellsworth reviewed the work of the past year and outlined the work to be accomplished for the coming year for the benefit of the new members of the bureau he then called on Allen G Clark of San Leandro lodge who responded to the topic of the evening The Broader View The following Knights who compose the Alameda County Bureau of Relief which represents the Pythian lodges of Oakland and the immediate vicinity, were present J C Ellsworth, Allan G Clark, James Milne, B J Bither, Dr Maurice L Green, J H Clayton, A Lion, C W Wagner, W D Willis, Ira Tracy, William C Dennett Walter Staehle B V Duke, G H Hagy Ernest Holland, James Denniston T P Black, F W Kaiser M O Nichols, M W Howard and Hall Bither

FORESTERS

Court New Era, No 165 Foresters of America, held its regular semi-annual installation of officers Thursday evening January 12, when the following officers were installed for the ensuing term Chief ranger Louis S Smook sub-chief ranger Joseph H David financial secretary William H Heileman treasurer H Emanuel senior woodward Ben R Davis, junior woodward M Greenfield senior beadle Sam Epstein junior beadle George Davis lecturer C H McDilly marshal Charles Merdelsohn court physician, Dr. Robert McCracken trustee Joseph Ba

The ceremony of installation was conducted by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Frank Lashado assisted by Mr Fields of Oakland Court, No 46

Court Oakland No 1237 Independent Order of Foresters, met as usual Monday night in its hall 521 Twelfth street since last reported Organizer Dodson has secured nine new applications for membership in the court On next Monday night the court will hold a short business session after which the members will play whist The entertainment committee, composed of Brothers Smith Eshleman and Enders is preparing an illustrated entertainment for the first Monday in February Brother Eshleman has a select collection of slides which would be of especial interest to Foresters and there will be several other numbers to the program It is also planned to have a male quartet organized for and from the membership of the court to assist in entertainments and also under the good of the order Those having voices suited for the different parts are requested to see the recording secretary about the matter Quite a number of new members have received their pin for securing a new member and have joined the Quarter Million Club

Drama and Players in New York

(By JAMES GRANT THURSTON)

NEW YORK Jan 14—The theatrical managers are glad that the holiday season is over believing that normal conditions will return The holiday season generally means a falling off in business save on Christmas Day and New Years when of course every house in the city is jammed

Nat Goodwin opened up in vaudeville last Monday for a ten weeks engagement at $300 a night Though Goodwin has never been it is said in vaudeville before he first made his mark in the old varieties At that time he gave imitations of John McCullough Stuart Robson and others of his elders Those were the times when Harrigan and Hart were the heyday of their success

It is related that Harrigan was particularly attracted by the genius of the young man So much so that he took Goodwin aside and said

Nat give your own genius a chance Cut out McCullough and be Nat Goodwin

Goodwin took the hint and had an act of his own ready for the following week After the first performance the man who dedicated a nation with his characterizations and plays remarked sadly

I'm sorry Nat but I was wrong Better cut out Nat Goodwin and go back to being someone else again

But Goodwin bore no grudge When he produced Carleo Kirby he asked Harrigan as a personal favor to let Kirby remain of the company

Despite long training and stage discipline Ellen Terry the actress recently at the matinee performance of Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm at the Republic Theater broke David Belasco's strict rule She passed a bunch of roses over the footlights to Edith Taliaferro—a tribute from one of the greatest of English players to the youngest of America's actresses

Miss Terry attended the performance with Miss Margaret Anglin She was so pleased with Miss Taliaferro's work that she asked permission of the manager to have the roses passed over the footlights Miss Terry was informed of the fact

Miss Taliaferro supposed that Ellen would want to visit Miss Edith to know that their chat was charming

Miss Terry resumed her seat After making certain calls at the end of the first act Miss Taliaferro was on the stage alone Miss Terry walked down the side aisle to the footlights and called Miss Taliaferro to her And the roses at her feet Miss Terry resumed her seat while the house applauded

Young Greatness and Old Glory waved together at the State Children's Christmas festival at the Criterion Theater when Mrs Kate Douglas Wiggin Mrs Millie Thorpe and the other big hearted women who are doing yeoman service to revive the old State Children's Christmas of Tony Pastor's day entertained 500 child actors and actresses Many of the youngsters are regular performers

Edna Hunter is back on the stage Five years ago at the height of her success Miss Hunter retired to marry W G Wood the marine artist

I have returned to the stage because I feel that I ought not to neglect any talent I have when I can support myself handsomely by doing so she declared Mr Wood is an artist whose income fluctuates Once we had a steam yacht A few months after the yacht was sold our beautiful home at Bayside was mortgaged and we lived in a flat Finally I decided to take up stage work again It is simply a case of utilizing our different talents as best we can

Miss Hunter went on the stage as a chorus girl in Florodora

Then she met Mr Wood who became noted as a marine artist during the Spanish War Their home a Paris for the past few years has been the rendezvous of the artistic people of New York

Margaret Anglin started her season at New London Conn where she appeared in the first performance of a new comedy called Green Stockings The play takes its name from an old Irish custom which the unmarried young women wear green stockings at her sisters wedding Miss Anglin was seen as Celia Faracy She has apparently recovered from the recent illness Miss Anglin is an American and the daughter of Thomas Anglin who was speaker of the Canadian Parliament

The Superior Court of Connecticut has ruled that a railroad is responsible for goods in its possession regardless of special contracts This decision was given when Judge Reed overruled a demurrer filed by attorneys for New York New Haven and Hartford Railroad in the suit brought by the Citizs Thread Stock Company It is the first thing of this character ever given by a Connecticut court

The company had a special coupe and other accommodations engaged to take the company to New London to Willimantic Fire broke out in the railroad station at New London and the car with its contents was destroyed The railroad company sought to escape liability under the special contract into which the company entered Judge Reed however holds that the railroad is responsible despite the special contract

The White Rats recently arranged for a junction with William Hart is to make a benefit for Billy Woods

The story is told of Woods in his spending days that on one occasion he flipped a five dollar bill across the bar of a New York hotel in payment for two drinks of whisky The bartender handed him back twenty five cents in change Woods without making any comment laid down a $10 bill with the inquiry

Can I get a couple of mild smokes for that?

Here is a press notice which suggests something With the care for detail characteristic of everything that Adeline Genee the dancer does and in preparation for her prospective vaudeville engagement at the Colonial Theater she is sending to London for special sets of ones which were used in her dancing numbers there but never seen here and also to secure Pavlof Orlofsky the Russian male dancer who assisted her in a few of the numbers in the foregoing performances

The suggestion is this Would it not be a good thing if Genee had to send to Europe for the money she expects to make in the United States?

The movement to establish either a public or privately endowed theater in Boston brought from Mayor Fitzgerald the statement that the city cannot afford at present to supply the funds He believes in the municipal theater idea and if there were not so many demands for the municipal cash he might help to secure such an institution

What the movie would like is an offer from some wealthy citizen to furnish the money to erect and maintain a civic theater

Miss Maude Adams will make her first appearance in Rostand's Chantecler at the Knickerbocker theater January 16

Charles Cherry and Annie Chance will tour Australia and New Zealand in May in The Awakening of Mr Pipp and other American comedies

WEEK'S EVENTS IN WOMAN'S CLUBS

The Alta Mira Club of San Leandro gave its annual luncheon Monday, January 9, the occasion being the third anniversary of its organization

The banquet hall was beautifully decorated with large baskets of asparagus fern hanging from the heavy beams of the ceiling, and streamers of smilax were draped over the chandeliers, pillars and mantel

The table decorations were smilax and red carnations

The tables were arranged in a very pretty manner The one at which the board of directors sat, with the guests of honor, was placed across one corner of the room and all the rest of the tables radiated from it

The president, Mrs V S Peters gave a short address of welcome and introduced the presiding hostess, Mrs J E Lynch, who in turn made a few remarks told a bright little story and introduced the speakers as follows

Mrs S M Woodman responded to the toast 'Hospitality' She said in part that true hospitality is actual freedom and comfort to the guest while overdone hospitality burdens the guest with well meant attentions and robs him of all freedom privacy and comfort, though both kinds spring from the same motive

Vocal solos Miss Mayory Deetken of Oakland accompanied by Miss Mary Alice Sanford

Mrs T F Mahen rose to toast 'Man's Inconsistency' She used the word in the broader sense of humanity and considered man male and man female'

Mrs A Aitken in her response to the toast of Our Girls gave some sound truths as well as sincere praise of our girls

Mrs Lillian Swale Slemmons of Oakland favored the club with two readings, which called forth much applause

Mrs L B Smith caused considerable amusement with her able response to the toast The Strenuous Life

Miss Bell McCoy's remarks were very humorous and caused several good laughs as she responded to the toast Pin Money

Mrs J A Park president of the Hill and Valley Club of Hayward made a few remarks to add Mrs C C Crane president of the Country Club

Mrs Anna Little Barry gave a very amusing little talk which was followed by the closing number a solo by Miss Deetken

The guests of honor were Mrs Anna Little Barry, president of Alameda district Mrs J A Park Mrs C C Crane Mrs Lillian Swale Slemmons Miss Marjory Deetken and Miss Mary Alice Sanford

Guests of the members

Mrs O M Rice	Mrs F H Moore
Mrs A Combs	Mrs D M Helms
Mrs F Chase	Miss Marhl
Mrs Fred Allen	Mrs W A Shaw
Miss Martha G Carter	Mrs C Rowan
Mrs T B Zeller	Miss Louise Hagemann
Mrs B C Hawes	Mrs W H Baker
Mrs Charles Reed	Miss Thos J Bradley
Dr Hele Russell	Mrs Della F Morris
Mrs Charles Burroughs	Mrs Fitzhalet Miller
Miss Alice F Barker	Miss Lehl
Mrs William T Satterwhite	Mrs Goldy Mitchell
Mrs Meacham	Mrs W A Clark
Mrs J W Bolan	Mrs Smith
Mrs W G G Reed	Mrs William Simpson
Miss Eva King	Mrs M Neiff
Mrs Gardiner	Miss Mabel Wright
Mrs Enoch	Miss Dora Hines
Mrs J W McClymonds	Mrs Frank J Rawson

WEST OAKLAND HOME TO HOLD MEETING

The annual meeting of the West Oakland Home will be held Monday January 30 when the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place

SPECIAL SESSION OF OAKLAND CLUB

Mrs Leon Hall called a special meeting at the Oakland Club Wednesday afternoon when the business of the club was discussed after which a program of song following and address by the Rev Allen Palmer was given The reception committee for the afternoon was

Mrs Cora E Jones	Mrs I S Coe
Mrs F R Bartholo	Mrs A W Baker
Mrs	Mrs A J Delury
Mrs Edward Hoffman	Mrs R D Holmes
Mrs E H Forester	Mrs Hazel L Chambers
Mrs Frances Carr	Mrs Theresa Hoag
Mrs George Faulkner	Mrs Ira E Hall

HILL CLUB ON FIFTEENTH SEASON

The Hill Club held the first meeting of its fifteenth season at the home of Mrs W W Garthwaite on El Dorado avenue on Monday afternoon Miss Zoe Blodgett and Miss Grace Roberts sang several solos and Mrs Roberts rendered a group of violin solos Mrs L H Garthwaite was the accompanist Mrs Louise Croft read a very clever story entitled Christmas Shopping

Mrs D A Spence vice president of the club read a paper giving the history of the Hill Club dating from its organization four teen years ago It was a very interesting paper and was enjoyed by the members present

After the program refreshments were served and a social hour was spent Mrs H G Ellsworth will be hostess next Monday January 15 at her home 405 Adams street

MUSICAL PROGRAM BY PIEDMONT CLUB

The Piedmont Musical Club met during the week at the home of Mrs and Mrs J N Chessen in Piedmont and gave one of the most interesting programs of the season which was attended by a large number of the hillside district folk

LONG PROGRAM GIVEN BY ETUDE

The Etude Club met Monday afternoon and gave one of the most interesting programs in the history of the club

The following program was given

Wind MacDowell

Miss Ruth Rafter Mrs William J Such
Mrs Ethel Hunt Safford Miss Jillian Scholer Waites

(a) From the Woodland Sketches—To a Wild Rose To a Water Lily MacDowell
(b) Scotch poem
(c) Intermezzo Miss Marguerite Dare

From an Old Garden—The Pansy The Cover The Yellow Daisy The Rose Mabel MacDowell

Mrs Ethel Hunt Safford
Edward Alexander MacDowell—Man—Genius
Mrs J H Wood

Prelude and Fugue from 1st Modern Suite MacDowell

Miss Emma King

(a) The Robin Sings in the Apple Tree
(b) Confidence
(c) The West Wind Croons in the Cedar Trees
(d) In the Woods
(e) A Maid Sings Light MacDowell
Mrs Alfred Taylor

(a) From the Woodland Sketches—In Autumn By a Meadow Brook From an Indian Lodge Will o the Wisp MacDowell
(b) March Wind Etude MacDowell
(c) The Witches Dance MacDowell
Miss Gladys Powell

Barcarole MacDowell
Miss Doris Schnabel Mrs Eva Rolfe
Whitcomb Mrs George A Faulkner Mrs
William T Such Mrs Leda Gregory Mrs
Helen Balch Miss Ruth Baker Miss
Lillian Scholer Mrs Director Mrs
Ethel Hunt Safford
Accompanists—Mrs George S Johnson and Mrs William H Wadsworth

BOOK CLUB'S ANNUAL LUNCHEON

The Book Club of Oakland will give their annual luncheon next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs J W Dickenson

The club is composed of fifteen members and has been in existence for the past ten years and is doing earnest work studying the best literature of the day, as well as the old classics

SIT AT LUNCHEON

The Home Club which is one of the most active in its various departments, will give its regular monthly luncheon on the 19th and a most interesting program will occupy the late hours of the afternoon

The Twentieth Century Club meets on Tuesday, when the business meeting will be followed by an hour of music participated in by Mrs Edward S Thomas Douglas Bacon-Soule and Mrs George W Richardson

EBELL CLUB TO GIVE BIG DANCE

Ebell Club will give a big dance on next Tuesday evening for the members and their friends and Mrs Louis Ghirardelli, Mrs A C Posey and Mrs Owen are arranging the details of the affair which is being eagerly anticipated

The Oakland Club's breakfast will be given on the 18th and will be of importance on the club calendar of the year

MILLS CLUB SETS MEETING DATE

The Mills Club will hold its meeting this month on the 17th in San Francisco at the club rooms on Post street when a musical program will be given

MME GADSKI'S PROTEGE ENTERTAINS CLUBWOMEN

The concert which was given by Miss Helen Hardy Stiles assisted by Eugene Blanchard Miss Helen Sutphen Mrs Robert Hughes and Mrs Vere Wendell Hunter on Tuesday evening January 10 was largely attended by local club women who are deeply interested in Miss Stiles Madam Gadski's protege and who leaves for Berlin tomorrow to study for the operatic stage

A large number of the prominent club women were patronesses of the affair Miss Stiles having sung before most of the clubs about the bay and her audience on Tuesday night was enthusiastic over her performance

The following program was given

PROGRAM

1 'Knowest Thou the Land (Mignon) A Thomas
Miss Helen Hardy Stiles
2 (a) Request
(b) The Rose Complained Robert Franz
(c) O Press Thy Cheek Jensen
Miss Stiles
3 (a) Concerto first Movement (Allegro) Bruch
(b) Spanish Dance (No 2) Moszkowski
Miss Helen Sutphen
4 Hark as the Lovelight Pales' John W Metcalf
Would You W J McCoy
If I Could Know Elizabeth Westgate
Miss Stiles
5 (a) Prelude Pathetique Sauer
(b) Farfalles de Mer Sauer
(c) Gavotte Rubinstein
Mr Eugene Blanchard
6 Melisande Alma Goetz
A Summer Idyll Coleridge Taylor
Song of Sleep Lord Somerset
Miss Stiles

COUPLE REWED AFTER 5 YEARS

Marriage Illegal Because Husband was Not Divorced From First Wife.

CHICO Jan 14—After living together five years supposedly legally married and two children being born to them Lewis Wilud Button and Miss Elsie Nelson were remarried in Marysville

Seven years ago Button secured a decree from his first wife but failed to get a final decree He believed he had only to receive an interlocutory decree and did not worry about a final one

Only a few weeks ago he learned that his marriage with Miss Elsie Nelson his present wife was illegal and he made haste to have the marriage again performed after he had time to secure his final decree

Neither knew they were not legally married until the matter was brought to their attention accidentally recently and Button at once set about to get his final papers

Button is the foreman in the match making department of the Diamond Match Company at Barker

BRANDS ENEMY SOUL ASSASSIN

"Lady Barcley Has Put Death Into Me!" Cries Parisian Beauty.

(BY ALANCE THOMPSON)

PARIS Jan 14—Is Britain's most American wife of the British ambassador to Persia has put death into my soul I am the victim of soul assassination exclaimed a beautiful Anglo Hungarian woman with tear stained face as I passed through Paris on Thursday on my way to Rome It was Mrs Janie Pratt Hughes Buckley the divorced wife of Captain Buckley of Norfolk Square London and Castle Gorford Queen Victoria and the other woman to whom she refers was formerly Miss Beatrice Mastin daughter of the architect of New York

The moral assassination of which I am the victim and disclosed Mrs Buckley's refusal was her abandonment by Colleridge Kennard and with whom she had hoped some three or four years ago at the announcement that he had thrown her over for Lady Barcley's younger daughter the plain faces of which I have already been cabled to the I N S But there are many sordid details which have not been cabled It is known that Coleridge Kennard was deeply passionately in love with Mrs Buckley that he threatened to commit suicide if she did not elope with him and that she has scores of letters from him proving beyond a shadow of doubt that no criminal intrigue or illicit love affair ever existed between them

WENT TO PERSIA

When Sir Coleridge's love letters to her ceased which they did soon after he had received his Persian post Mrs Buckley went to Teheran He would give no reason for his departure Mrs Buckley went to persuade Sir Coleridge condescended to explain why he broke his engagement to marry her Lady Barcley however saw the distracted woman's condition and pleaded with Sir Charles to see her husband's influence Lady Barcley got her wish and Persia

Although Sir Coleridge Kennard may marry Miss Barcley which it is said will be made public in March he has made no effort to conceal some of the pain of the tragedy Almost all of his diplomatic associates have put him to shame by his lukewarmness with the British minister Mrs Buckley still has many friends of high social position and a number of them decided they will horsewhip the recreant lover the moment they have an opportunity

IS VERY WEALTHY

Sir Coleridge who is now 26 years of age is extremely wealthy and would have been a good catch if he had not played this unheroic role in the ruin of his friend's wife There is in the air for just as Abdul Baha high priest of the Bahaion had completed arrangements to leave his native lands and visit the Bahaists in Paris a terrible schism has broken out in the Paris branch which is mainly composed of Americans So numerous indeed are the American converts that he society is known as the American branch of the Bahaian society

The cause of the row was a statement made by Hipolite Dreyfus who is a lawyer by profession and is the author of a book on Bahaism At the latest meeting he stated that a constitutional monarchy is to be established and the final which members of the Bahaist church in Paris should strive for He simply repeated orally what he states at length in his book

CALLED HER ANARCHIST

This was a little too much for the Republican Americans When one of the women present expressed her dissent he pounced upon her figuratively speaking and called her an anarchist Mrs James Jackson Mrs Frank Hyde, Miss Sanderson of San Francisco Miss Emily Hiscock of New York and other leading lights of Bahaism also entered vigorous protests Miss Sanderson who is a sister of the late Sybil Sanderson said

We may take our religion from Persia but we will not take our politics

It is worthy of note that Miss Sanderson was once the fiancee of Dreyfus until he transferred to another fair American Bahaist Dreyfus spends several hours daily studying Arabic with this learned young American for whose sake he is said to have broken off his engagement with the daughter of the late Judge Sanderson

When Abdah removes from Persia he will find a divided and indignant church awaiting him.

THRONE PRETENDER ENGAGED TO MARRY

Don Jaime, Chief of the Carlists, Announces Event at Council of Leaders

PARIS Jan 14—Don Jaime Prince de Bourbon Duk of Madrid and pretender to the throne of Spain has just become engaged to his cousin Princess Zita de Bourbon of Parma The engagement of the chief of the Carlists was announced after a council of Carlist leaders held at Chateau of Frohsdorff in Southern Austria where Don Jaime now resides The betrothal was of him by the late Count de Chambord head of the French Bourbons It is a great blow to Queen Christina mother of King Alfonso who is herself an Austrian archduchess that the Carlists should be permitted to match pretenders to the throne and of her birth

IS CARLIST PRIEST

Though there is one less Don Jaime is not only the Carlist chief but he is the head of all the houses of the Bourbon family which the a manacled Gotha says is without a rival in the history of humanity and hence is the head of the Bourbons of France and Spain the two Sicilies and the Bourbon family of Parma from whom he is now about to take a wife His advisers have told him that were he to marry an American even though it might be Miss Arnie Morgan he must say goodbye forever to his illustrious estates In the first engagement between love and duty duty has won

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of J H Young deceased

No 13,952 Dept 4

Notice of Administrator's sale of real estate at private sale

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, made on the 28th day of December A D 1910, in the matter of the estate of J H Young deceased the undersigned administrator of the estate of said J H Young deceased will sell at private sale to the highest bidder upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned and subject to the confirmation of the said Superior Court of the State of California, on or after Monday January 6 A D 1911 all the right title and interest and estate of said J H Young deceased at the time of his death in and to the real property hereinafter described and all the right title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of said deceased at the time of his death of in and to that certain lot piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the City of Berkeley County of Alameda State of California and bounded and particularly described as follows to wit

Commencing at a point on the eastern line of McGee avenue formerly Hamilton street distant thereon one hundred and thirty five (135) feet northerly from the point of intersection thereof with the northern line of Bristol street running thence northerly along said line of McGee avenue forty five (45) feet thence easterly parallel with Bristol street one hundred and ten (110) feet thence southerly parallel with McGee avenue forty five (45) feet and thence westerly parallel with Bristol street one hundred and ten (110) feet to the point of beginning

Being the southern 45 feet and Western Range of Lots L and W in Range 8 as laid down and delineated on a certain map entitled Subdivision of Range 8 Hardy Tract Berkeley etc filed April 18 1878 in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County together with the improvements thereon

Terms any conditions of sale Cash gold coin of the United States ten (10) per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale balance on confirmation of sale The purchaser to assume the payment of and take the property purchased by him subject to all Municipal State and County taxes and all assessments liens and encumbrances of whatsoever name or nature which are now or may become hereafter chargeable to or a lien against the property purchased by him

All bids or offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of the Leach attorney for administrator personally in said Alameda County or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before making said sale

Dated Oakland California December 30th 1910

H B MUHRMANN
Administrator of the estate of J H Young deceased
ABE P LEACH
1113 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland California

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL ETC

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda State of California

In the matter of the estate of Josephine R Wilson deceased

No ice of time set for proving will etc

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Josephine R Wilson deceased and for the issuance to Sallie B Turner of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Wednesday the 18th day of January A D 1911 at 10 o'clock A M of said day at the Courtroom of Department No 4 of this Court at the Court House in the City of Oakland in said County of Alameda has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same

Dated Jan 6 91

JOHN P COOK Clerk
By W W CRANE Deputy Clerk
GEO L DeCOTA
Attorney for Petitioner

DIVIDEND NOTICE

The Central Loan Association of Alameda has declared a dividend at the rate of 6% per annum from its earnings for the six months ending December 31 1910 payable on or after January 1 1911 Dividends not called for will be added to the principal and bear interest at the same rate

D L RANDOLPH
Vice President
F N DELANOY
President

Office 7301 Central ave Alameda Cal

ORDINANCE NO. ---

AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO THE CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY A RAILROAD CORPORATION AND TO ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS THE RIGHT PRIVILEGE AND FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT MAINTAIN AND OPERATE A LINE OR LINES OF RAILROAD FOR THE PURPOSE OF PIPE LINES A SINGLE OR DOUBLE TRACK RAILROAD OF STANDARD GAUGE TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY SWITCHES CROSSINGS SIDETRACK CONNECTIONS POLES WIRES AND OTHER NECESSARY APPLIANCES APPENDAGES AND ADJUNCTS AND TO PASS THEREON WITH CARS AND TRAINS ALONG SEVENTH STREET IN THE SAID CITY OF OAKLAND AND FROM AND CONNECTING WITH THE TRACKS OF SAID APPLICANT AND THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY AT THE EASTERLY TERMINUS OF WHAT IS KNOWN AS THE OAKLAND MOLE TO AND CONNECTING WITH THE TRACKS OF SAID APPLICANT AND SAID SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY ON PROPERTY OWNED BY SAID APPLICANT AT OR NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF SEVENTH AND SEVENTH STREETS IN THE SAID CITY OF OAKLAND SAID SINGLE OR DOUBLE TRACK RAILROAD TO BE ALONG AND UPON THE LINE NOW USED AND OPERATED BY SAID CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY ON SAID SEVENTH STREET THROUGH ITS LESSEE THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY AND TO BE OPERATED EXCLUSIVELY BY ELECTRICITY OR OTHER LAWFUL MOTIVE POWER (EXCEPT STEAM LOCOMOTIVES)

WHEREAS the Central Pacific Railway Company a railroad corporation has applied to the Council of the City of Oakland for the right privilege and franchise hereinafter set forth and

WHEREAS the application and petition of said Central Pacific Railway Company for said right privilege and franchise was accompanied by a petition in writing of the owners of more than two thirds of the front feet of lands upon those parts of the street to be used by said Central Pacific Railway Company for said railroad praying that said right privilege and franchise be granted to said Central Pacific Railway Company and

WHEREAS the Council has determined that said petition was in fact signed by the owners of two thirds or more of the front feet upon those parts of said street to be used and

WHEREAS this council duly fixed a time and place for the hearing of said petition and for the consideration of the granting of the right privilege permission and franchise therein prayed for and caused notice hereof and of the time and place thereof to be published for two weeks in the official newspaper of the City of Oakland and

WHEREAS the free use of said streets so to be used by said railroad will not be unnecessarily obstructed by said use and

WHEREAS due compliance has been had with all the matters required by the charter of said City of Oakland and all notices required by law have been duly given and all matters acts and things precedent to the granting of the right privilege permission and franchise hereinafter set forth have heretofore happened been done and performed in accordance with law

Now therefore BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND as follows

SECTION 1—The right privileges and franchise is hereby granted to the Central Pacific Railway Company a railroad corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Utah and doing business in the State of California and to its successors and assigns for the period of fifty (50) years from and after November 23rd 1911 to construct maintain and operate a single or double track railroad of standard gauge together with all necessary switches, crossings, sidings, sidetracks connections poles wires and other necessary appliances and to place thereon with passenger cars and trains, but not freight cars nor freight trains, to be operated by electricity or such other improved mode of operation as may be authorized by law (except steam locomotives) along Seventh street in the said City of Oakland from and connecting with the tracks of said applicant and the Southern Pacific Company at the easterly terminus of said Mole to and connecting with the tracks of said applicant and the Southern Pacific Company on property owned by said applicant at or near the intersection of Fallon and Seventh streets in said City of Oakland

SECTION 2—Said railroad tracks to be constructed and maintained upon the route hereinbefore described shall be single or double and said tracks shall be constructed and maintained so as to conform as nearly as practicable to the official grades of said streets and in case said grades are at any time changed said track shall be constructed and maintained to conform as nearly as practicable to such changed grades

SECTION 3—In the construction and maintenance of said railroad tracks, switches crossings sidings sidetracks, connections poles wires and other appliances and adjuncts necessary to the operation thereof over along and upon the route hereinbefore described and in the operation of cars and trains thereover said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall comply with all lawful provisions of the statutes of the State of California and the charter and ordinances of the City of Oakland in relation thereto

SECTION 4—Said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall construct culverts under said tracks at street crossings where necessary by the Board of Public Works or its successors for the purpose of carrying surface water across the streets upon which said tracks are maintained and keep the same constantly in repair

SECTION 5—The work of changing the present motive power from steam to electricity in the operation of said railroad between the initial terminus of said Mole and said Fallon street must be commenced in good faith within not more than six months from the taking effect of this ordinance and said change shall be completed and said road operated between said terminus of said Mole and said Fallon street by electricity or by some other improved lawful motive power within three years after the taking effect of this ordinance PROVIDED that until the expiration of said period of three years the said Central Pacific Railway Company may operate said railway by use of steam locomotives And if said change not so commenced and completed and said railroad so operated within the aforesaid times this ordinance shall be void without any action of the Council of the said City of Oakland or otherwise unless the commencement or continuance of said work or the operation of said railway be enjoined or restrained by legal proceedings

SECTION 6—In case of failure or neglect of said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns to operate said railway from the taking effect of this ordinance for the period of ninety consecutive days (unless such operation be prevented by the act of God or be enjoined restrained or prevented by legal proceedings the pendency of which shall not have been procured by said City of Oakland) then the right privilege and franchise hereby granted shall thereupon be forfeited and abandoned and said railroad and all the poles wires and appurtenances thereof shall thereupon be removed from said streets and all portions of streets occupied thereby and all portions of said streets shall thereupon be restored to the same condition as the remaining portion of said streets shall be in at the time of the removal of said railroad and the poles wires and appliances thereof and the said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall not be entitled to any damages for the taking of said railroad and the said City of Oakland or otherwise unless the commencement or continuance of said work or the operation of said railroad be enjoined or restrained by legal proceedings

SECTION 7—In case of failure or neglect of said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns to operate said railroad for the period of ninety consecutive days (unless such operation be prevented by the act of God or be enjoined restrained or prevented by legal proceedings) after the taking effect of this ordinance the Council of the City of Oakland may take the right privilege and franchise hereby granted and abandoned and said right privilege and franchise shall thereupon be forfeited and abandoned and said railroad and all the poles wires and appurtenances thereof shall be removed from said streets and all portions of streets occupied thereby and all portions of said streets shall thereupon be restored to the same condition as the remaining portion of said streets shall be in at the time of the removal of said railroad and the poles wires and appliances thereof and the said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall not be entitled to any damages for the taking of said railroad and the said City of Oakland or otherwise unless the commencement or continuance of said work or the operation of said railroad be enjoined or restrained by legal proceedings

SECTION 8—The said Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall within fifteen months after the taking effect of this ordinance pave with a durable asphalt pavement the entire roadway of Seventh street from the easterly end of the Oakland Mole to the east side of Seventh street to near Fallon street including the space between the tracks and must also lay an asphalt sidewalk by lay the sidewalk upon each side of Seventh street within the limits aforesaid where not already laid all in conformity with the specifications of the design of such work which are on file in the office of the City Engineer of Oakland and to the satisfaction and approval of the proper officers of said City and shall keep said pavement and sidewalk in good repair and supply sprinkling and supply materials for sprinkling to lay of Seventh street which said total cost is assumed to be and for the purpose is hereby fixed to be considered to be $ 5 00

The said grade in the roadway shall be determined by the profile and grade which shall be established by the Board of Public Works and which shall be such that the total amount received from sales of tickets at all stations located on the line of said railway by the franchise for which is hereby granted and from San Francisco and to and from all stations in Oakland and all cash fares collected on cars of said railway the franchise for which is hereby granted shall be fifty two (52) per cent that is to say the gross earnings of the railway the franchise for which is hereby granted shall be deemed to be and shall be computed upon the sum obtained by estimating upon the basis of such ticket sales and cash collections and assuming the total of such gross earnings of each amount of which such ticket sales and cash collections shall be 52 per cent The books and accounts of the Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns, shall always be kept so as to show accurately the earnings of the said railway franchise for which is hereby granted and the City of Oakland or its duly authorized representative shall at all times have access to said books and accounts for the purpose of ascertaining the said earnings and the proportion thereof due to the City of Oakland

SECTION 10—The Central Pacific Railway Company its successors and assigns shall until the time of the taking effect of this ordinance keep in good repair the roadway of Second street from the easterly end of the Oakland Mole to the east side of Second street to near Fallon street including the space between the tracks and must also lay an asphalt sidewalk by lay the sidewalk upon each side of Seventh street within the limits aforesaid where not already laid all in conformity with the specifications of the design of such work which are on file in the office of the City Engineer of Oakland and to the satisfaction and approval of the proper officers of said City and shall keep said pavement and sidewalk in good repair and supply sprinkling and supply materials for sprinkling to lay of Seventh street which said total cost is assumed to be and for the purpose is hereby fixed to be considered to be $ 5 00

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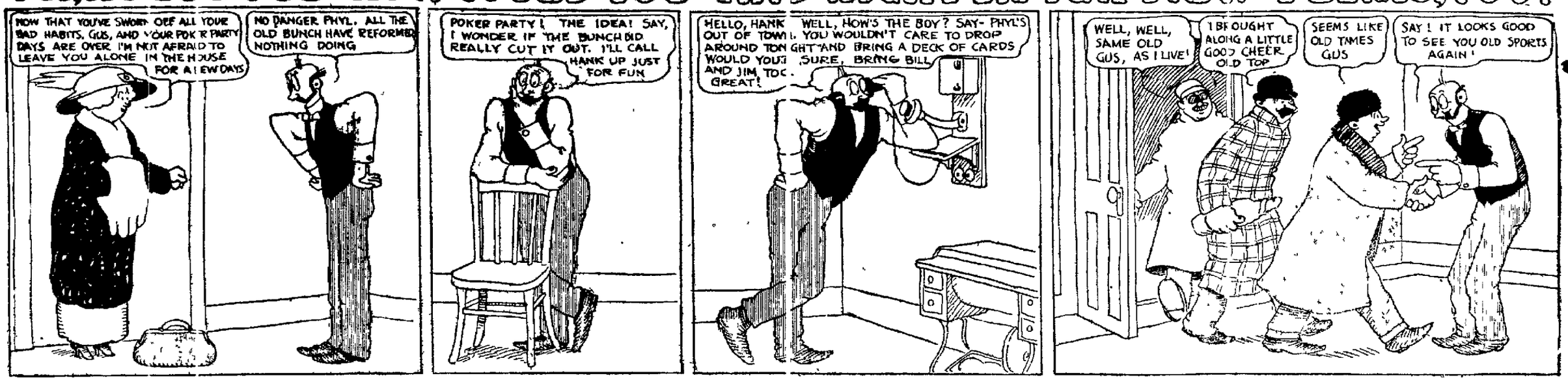
NOW THAT YOU'VE SWORN OFF ALL YOUR BAD HABITS, GUS, AND YOUR POKER PARTY DAYS ARE OVER, I'M NOT AFRAID TO LEAVE YOU ALONE IN THE HOUSE FOR A FEW DAYS
NO DANGER, PHYL. ALL THE OLD BUNCH HAVE REFORMED NOTHING DOING
POKER PARTY! THE IDEA! SAY, I WONDER IF THE BUNCH DID REALLY CUT IT OUT. I'LL CALL HANK UP JUST FOR FUN
HELLO, HANK OUT OF TOWN. YOU WOULDN'T CARE TO DROP AROUND TONIGHT AND BRING A DECK OF CARDS WOULD YOU? SURE, BRING BILL AND JIM, TOO. GREAT!
WELL, HOW'S THE BOY? SAY- PHYL'S
WELL, WELL, SAME OLD GUS, AS I LIVE!
I BROUGHT ALONG A LITTLE GOOD CHEER OLD TOP
SEEMS LIKE OLD TIMES GUS
SAY! IT LOOKS GOOD TO SEE YOU OLD SPORTS AGAIN!

JUST FOR OLD TIMES SAKE OLD BOY!
GO AS FAR AS YOU LIKE FELLOWS BUT LEAVE ME OUT OF IT
O, BE A SPORT
HERE YOU GO GUS
NOW YOU'RE TALKING, GUS
WE MIGHT JUST AS WELL HAVE A GOOD TIME WHILE WE'RE AT IT. IT'S JUST FOR THIS ONCE, BOYS, YOU KNOW
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OH, AUGUSTUS, FOR SHAME! THAT YOU SHOULD FALL AND THEN LEAD YOUR FRIENDS ASTRAY! AND NOT A THOUGHT OF YOUR FRAIL LITTLE WIFE'S FEELINGS!
SACRED CATNIP! I THOUGHT YOU WERE MILES AWAY!
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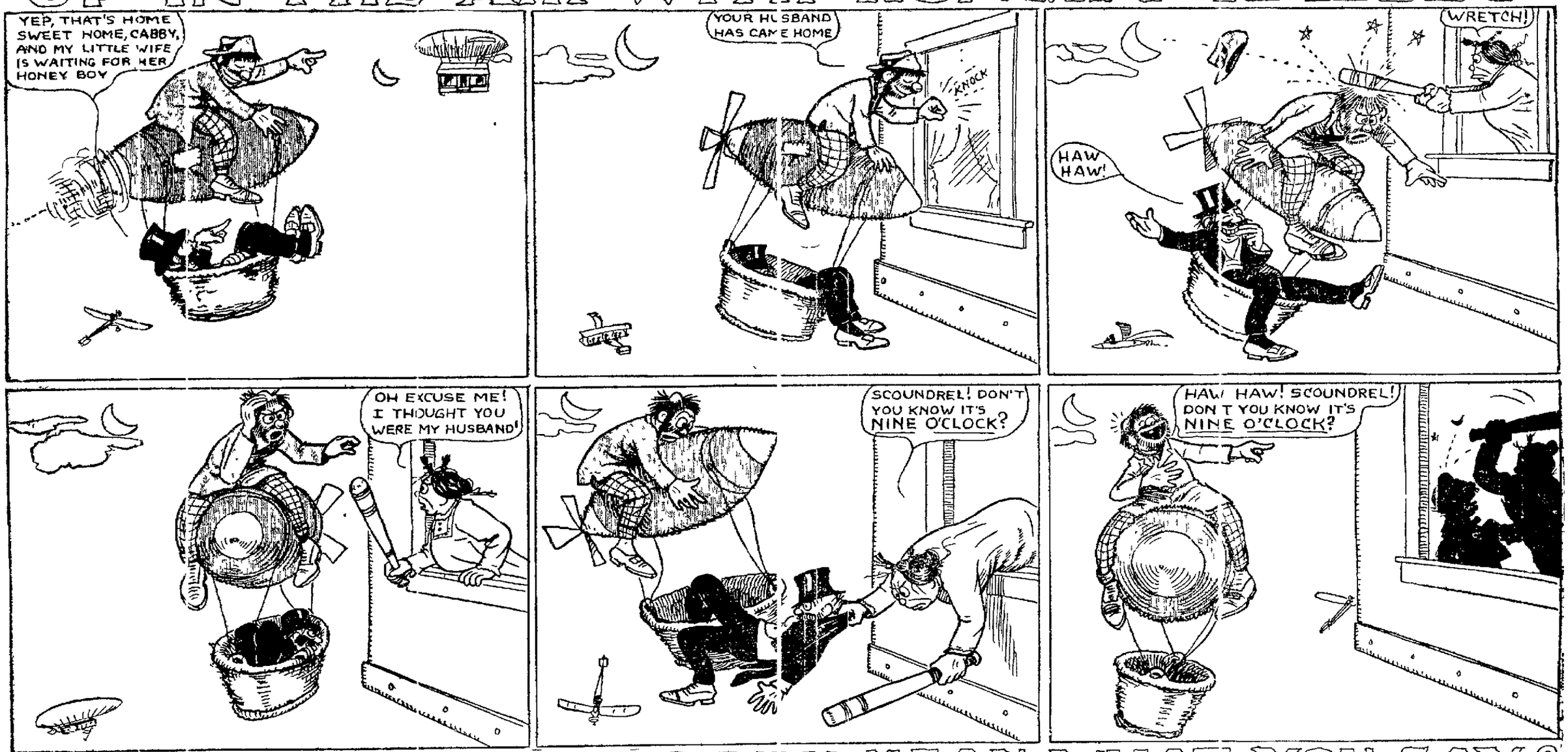
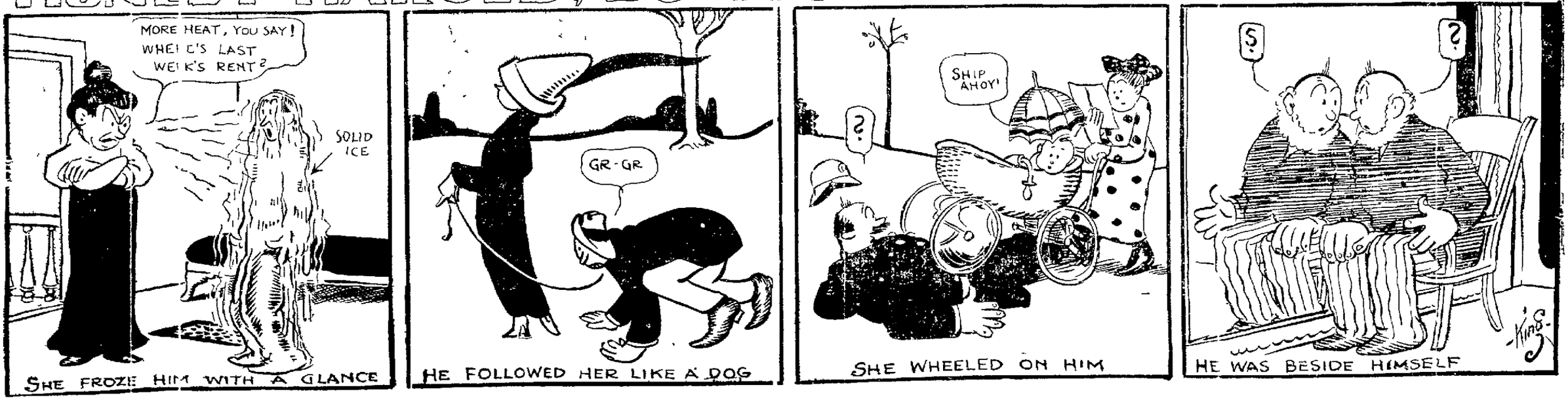
-King-

UP IN THE AIR WITH HUNGRY HALLEY


YEP, THAT'S HOME SWEET HOME, CABBY, AND MY LITTLE WIFE IS WAITING FOR HER HONEY BOY
YOUR HUSBAND HAS CAME HOME
KNOCK
WRETCH!
HAW HAW!
OH EXCUSE ME! I THOUGHT YOU WERE MY HUSBAND!
SCOUNDREL! DON'T YOU KNOW IT'S NINE O'CLOCK?
HAW! HAW! SCOUNDREL! DON'T YOU KNOW IT'S NINE O'CLOCK?

HONEST HAROLD, DO YOU MEAN WHAT YOU SAY?



MAMMA'S ANGEL CHILD PLAYS A JOKE ON THE PIANO

"Can't We Even Play on the Porch, Mamma?"
"No Esther, It's Too Cold."
"O-o-o Brother—Lookee! It's Snowing!"
"Gluq-Gluq" (MEANING "I'm Looking")
"Gluq Gluq!" (MEANING "Hooray!")
"O See, Brother—Esther's Got Some Pretty Snowballs for You!"
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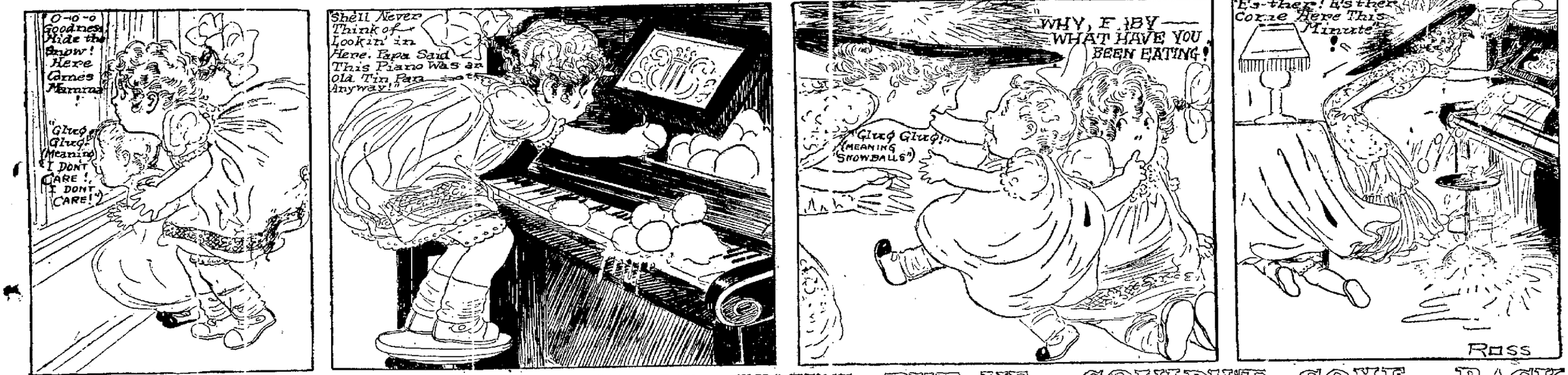
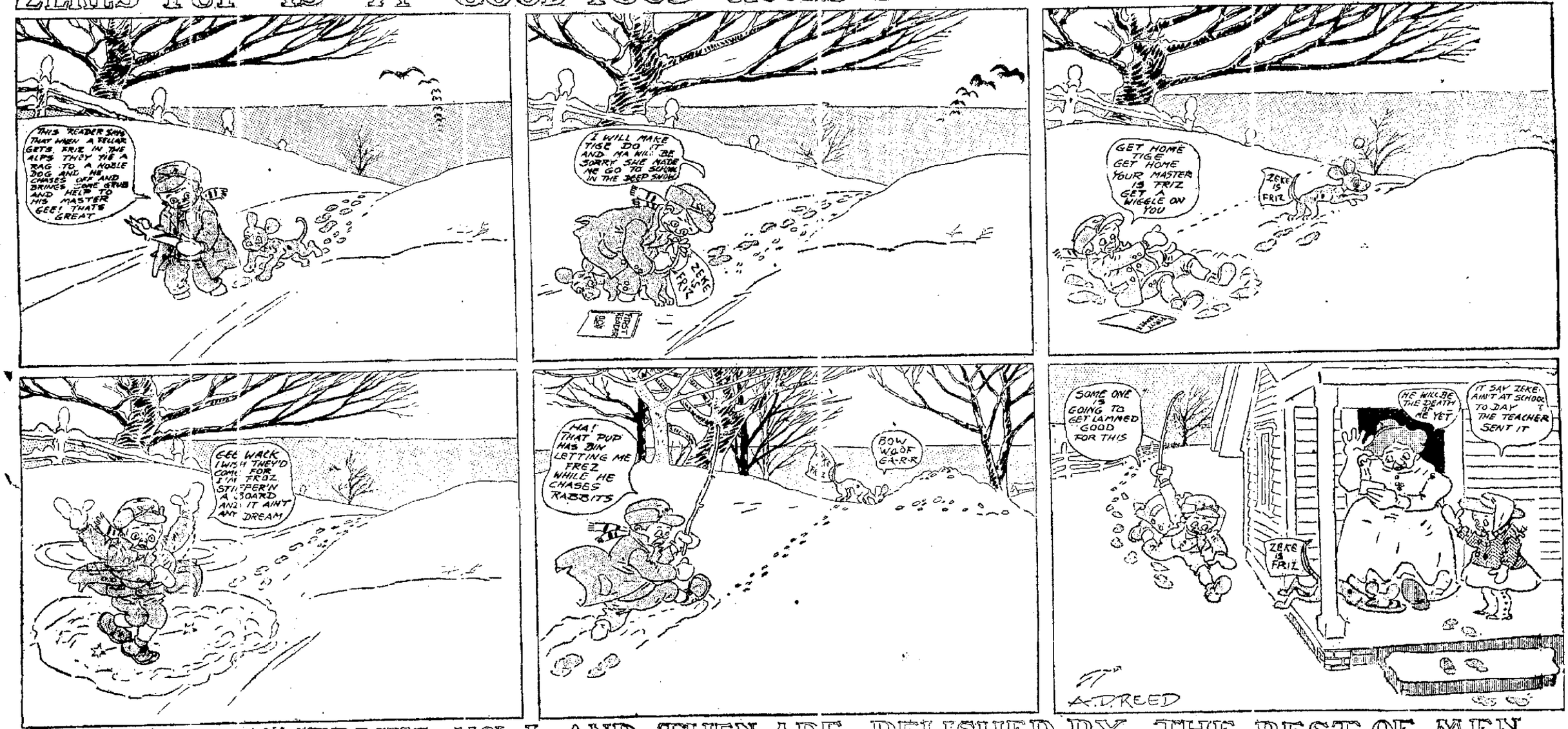

O-o-o Goodness Hide the Snow! Here Comes Mamma!
"Gluq Gluq!" (Meaning "I Don't Care! I Don't Care!")
She'll Never Think of Lookin' in Here. Papa Said This Piano Was an Old Tin Pan Anyway!"
WHY, ESTHER—WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN EATING!
"Gluq Gluq!" (MEANING "SNOWBALLS")
"Es-ther! Esther Come Here This Minute!"
ROSS

ZEKE'S PUP IS A GOOD FOOD HOUND BUT HE COULDN'T COME BACK


THIS READER SAYS THAT WHEN A FELLAR GETS FRIZ IN THE ALPS THEY TIE A RAG TO A NOBLE DOG AND HE CHASES OFF AND BRINGS SOME GRUB AND HELP TO HIS MASTER GEE! THAT'S GREAT
I WILL MAKE TIGE DO IT AND MA WILL BE SORRY SHE MADE ME GO TO SKOOL IN THE DEEP SNOW
ZEKE IS FRIZ
GET HOME TIGE GET HOME YOUR MASTER IS FRIZ GET A WIGGLE ON YOU
ZEKE IS FRIZ
GEE WACK I WISH THEY'D COME FOR FROZ I'M STIFFERIN A BOARD AND IT AIN'T ANY DREAM
HA! THAT PUP HAS BIN LETTING ME FREZ WHILE HE CHASES RABBITS
BOW WAOF GA-RR
SOME ONE IS GOING TO GET LAMMED GOOD FOR THIS
ZEKE IS FRIZ
HE WILBE THE DEATH OF ME YET
IT SAY ZEKE AINT AT SKOOL TO DAY THE TEACHER SENT IT
A. D. REED

FOOLISH LIMERICKS NOW AND THEN ARE RELISHED BY THE BEST OF MEN.

Fair Marie once while grimacing out loud,
Dropped her teeth—of which she was proud,
Stepped on them, bit her toe—
After which—O, the blow—
Hydrophobia and the bow-wows.

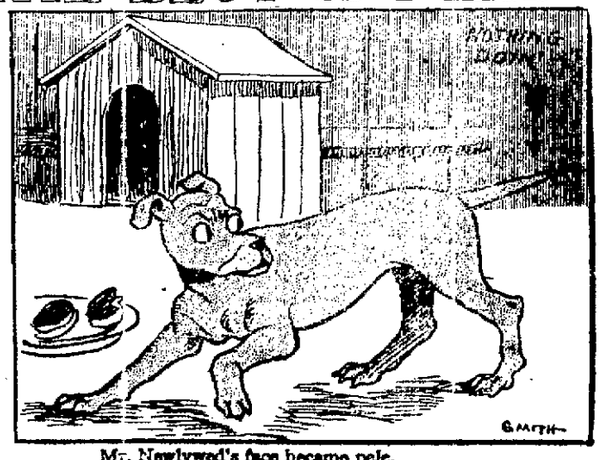
—*Wm. Maisel, Chicago.*

There was a sweet singer from Wheeling,
Who stepped on a banana peeling,
Her voice, so the critics all said,
As she lit on her tufted young head,
Was marked with wonderful feeling.

—*G. S., Chicago.*

A maiden named Lena Van Puffles,
Was exceedingly fond of kartufles,
But soon got so stout,
She had to let out,
Some fourteen or fifteen more ruffles.

—*S. Behrend, Chicago.*



Mr. Newlywed's face became pale,
When his wifey at cooking did fail,
The biscuits so soggy,
They fed to the doggie,
And now he can't wiggle his tail.

—*R. F. Luis, Gardner, Ill.*

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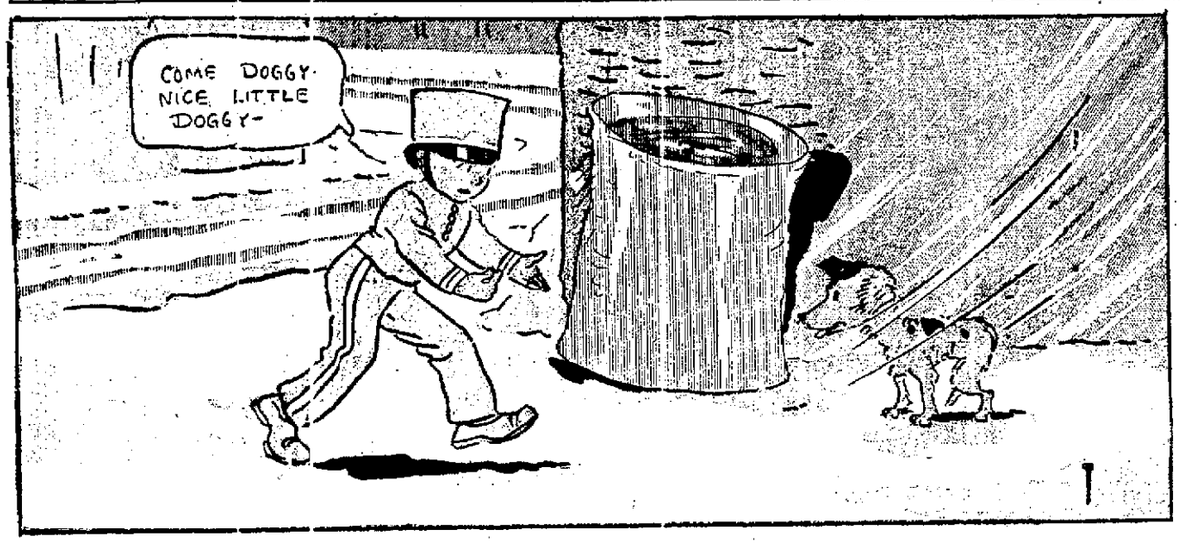
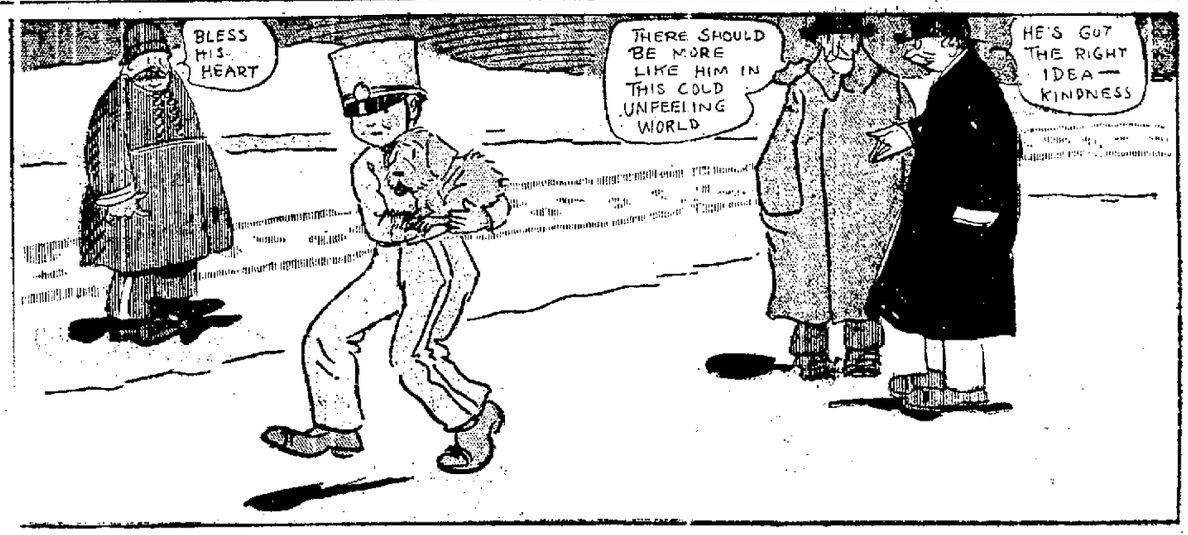
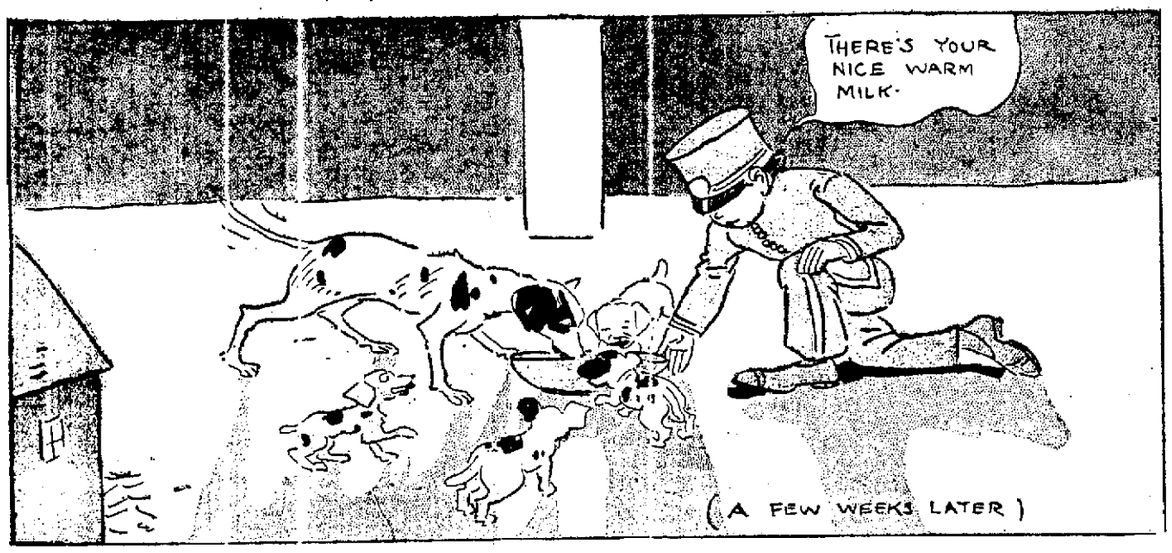
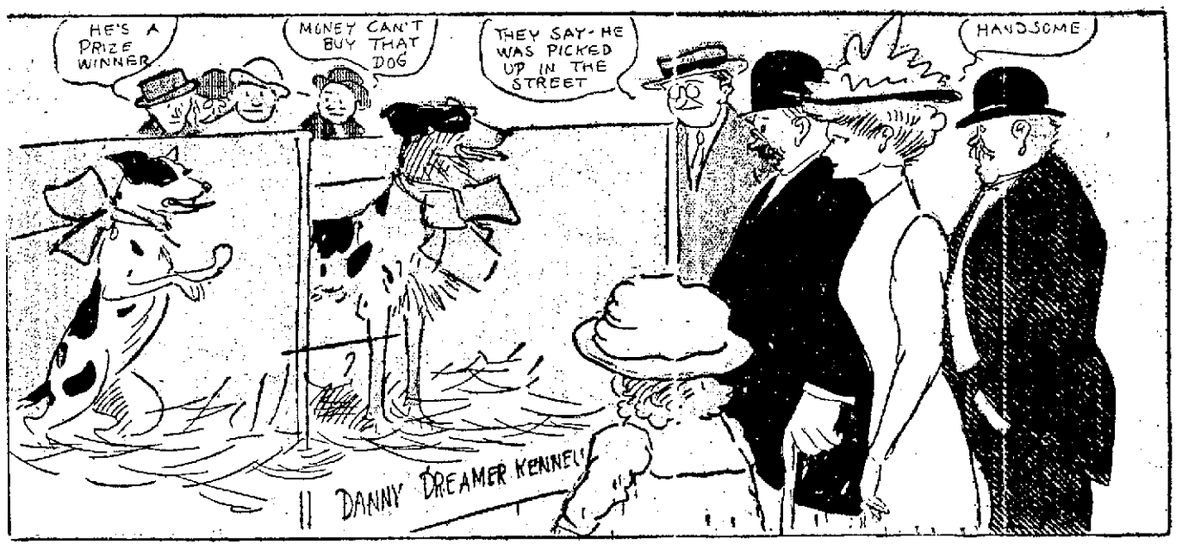
DANNY IS GOING TO BE HUMANE AND KIND TO DUMB ANIMALS LIKE THIS HE THINKS

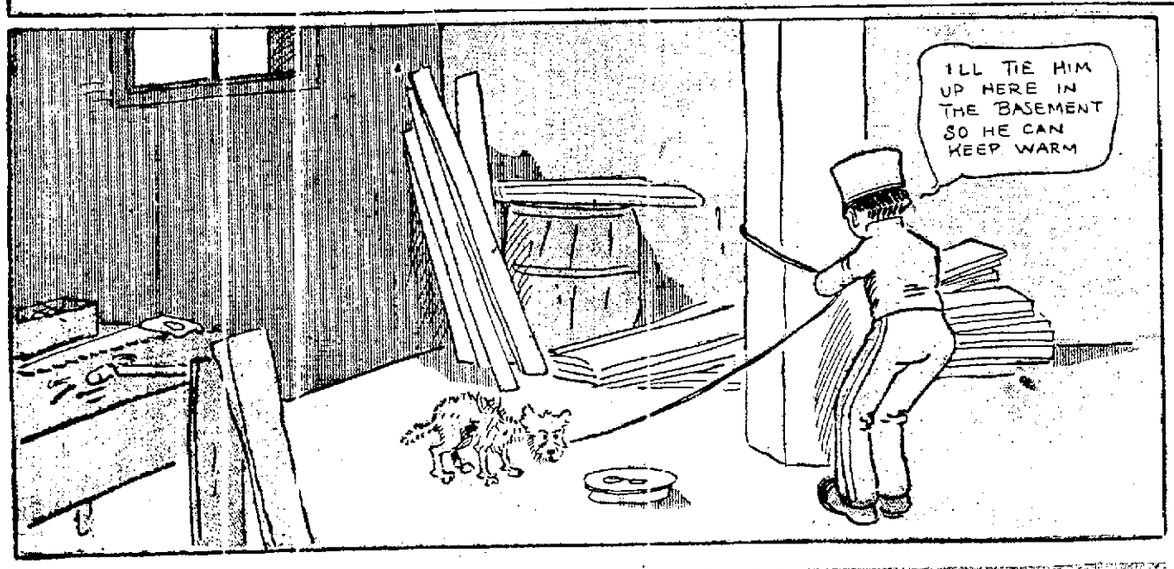


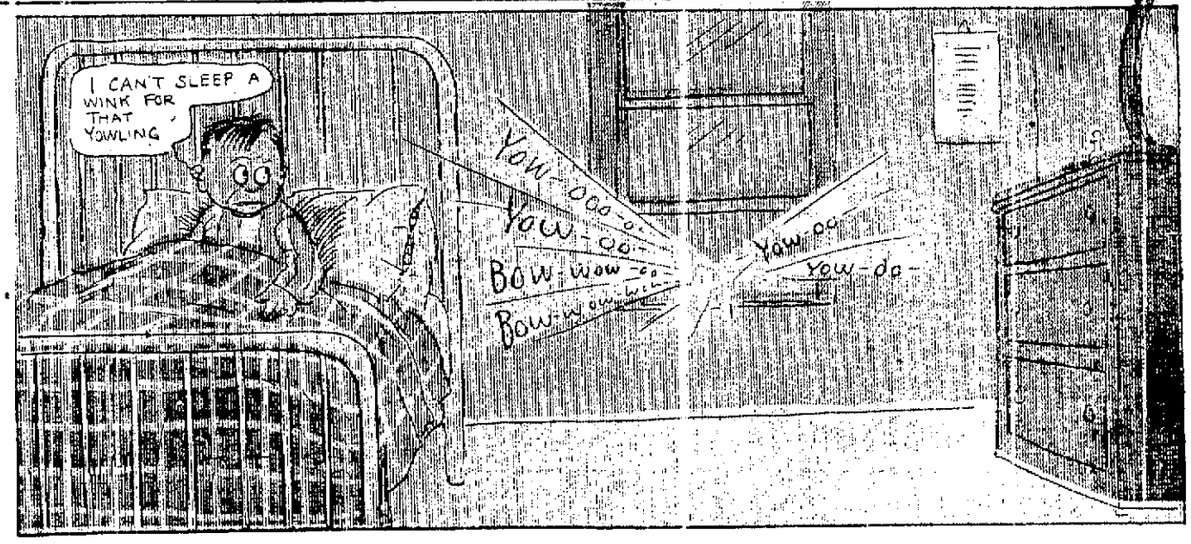


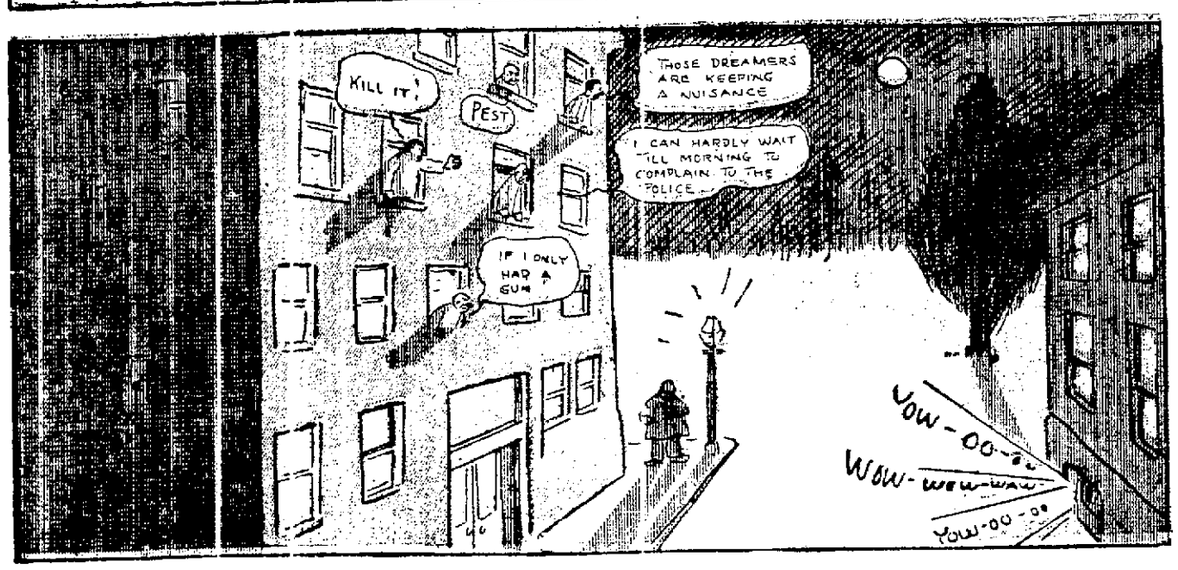




BUT! THIS IS THE REAL WAY DANNY'S KINDNESS WAS REWARDED







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IMPORTERS SUSPECTED OF HUGE FRAUDS

STATE HAS STRONGER GRIP ON FAIR

Straight-From-Shoulder Arguments of Representatives Make Profound Impression

Congressman Knowland Gains Instant Recognition With Solid Facts and Figures

WASHINGTON, Jan 14 —"I am authorized to say that we will not ask for one dollar of the government of the United States, now, or in the future, and I speak for our whole California delegation" declared Congressman J O Hayes to the member of the House Committee on Industrial Arts and Expositions this morning

A look of intense surprise was observed on the faces of the New Orleans boosters, who filled the committee room It was an unexpected announcement The Southern delegation has always felt, as did some members of the committee, that while California was not asking for a dollar at this time that when San Francisco secured the exposition it would come forward and ask the government to set aside a sufficient sum to erect a building and make a showing in keeping with the dignity and power of the nation

Despite Hayes announcement the committee members were still dubious on this point and when A W Scott Jr was in the midst of his discussion of his home city and was telling of its growth and ability to entertain thousands of visitors they began to harp on the subject

CITY PLEDGES ITSELF

You expect to have a government exhibit asked Chairman Rodenberg who throughout has shown his loyalty for New Orleans

San Francisco pledge herself not to ask for one dollar replied Scott If we have an exposition exhibits will be made by the independent states of the United States"

The national government will pay for its own exhibit of course" queried a New Orleans supporter on the committee

"I don't know what the government will do replied Scott

If it would not be deemed effrontery we would build a United States government building because the government is sick and tired of expositions—Congress is disgusted with them, and will not appropriate money for any more

What do you expect the government to do"

SAN FRANCISCO WILL PAY

We have offered to the State Department pay for the expense of a government representative We suggested the appointment to be announced now who will be sent to San Francisco exposition to entertain foreign visitors as we will pay for such entertainment

It was suggested that the committee lay the dilemma before Congressman Knowland Monday and the committee decided Knowland immediately submit a proposition to the committee that New Orleans will be diffident like Lemoine New Orleans has already asked leave of the committee to withdraw the clause in the Esch-Townsend bill calling for a million dollar government appropriation and the officials are now in position to present that will indubitably result in the latter receiving New Orleans forces before the committee

CALIFORNIA IN LEAD

From the standpoint of oratory and argument the Gulf Coast representatives thus far have had the better of it This was evidenced this morning when Congressmen Hayes McKinley and Knowland and Messrs Joseph Scott of Los Angeles and A W Scott made telling speeches Each speaker had a different line of thought Hayes, who comes from the Mississippi valley and who attended the New Orleans exposition in 1884 told some truths about the lack of accommodations and gave reasons for its failure Knowland discussed population in relation to attendance at expositions Scott of Los Angeles emphasized the southerners and drove home many points in favor of an exposition In San Francisco A W Scott Jr, used photographs of San Francisco destroyed by fire, the present city rebuilt, of Tennyson's singing before thousands on the streets of the city and of pictures presenting scenes that entertained and enlightened the committee McKinley made the committee marvel at his wonderful knowledge of Oriental and Occidental trade conditions He talked of billions and millions like a banker impressing on his auditors the great necessity of developing trade relations with awakened China and progressive Japan

NEW ORLEANS FAILED

"The Mississippi valley within the past twenty five years said Hayes has had three expositions New Orleans has had its chance and we feel that San Francisco should have its turn

Hayes gave reasons why the New Orleans exposition was a failure He

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BETROTHAL OF MISS GOULD TO BE TOLD

Society Expects Date Will Be Announced at Dinner Party.

His Lordship Tells How He Became Interested in Young Heiress

NEW YORK Jan 14—Despite the fact that no statement has been made by the family it is the belief that Mr and Mrs George J Gould will officially announce and set the date for the marriage of their daughter Miss Vivien to Lord Decies at the dinner dance to be given at the Gould mansion on Fifth avenue next Thursday The event is looked forward to as decidedly one of the most brilliant social functions of the season

Miss Gould will then be formally introduced

Lord Decies who returned to New York during the week from London stopping at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel but is a frequent guest at the Gould home

FROWNS ON AGE TALK

Lord Decies does not take favorably to the discussion of the difference in ages of himself and his fiancee Miss Gould being 27 years his junior He made it plain in an interview that he considered that a private affair

"Me old" he exclaimed It's all tommyrot Why in England a man especially if he has led an outdoor life as fellows of my sort do is regarded as being young at 50 Suppose Miss Gould is 17 What of it? So long as Miss Gould and Mrs Gould are pleased I don't think anyone else should bother

That it is a love match is borne out by the declaration of Lord Decies when asked how he had been so fortunate to win so fair a hand he said

HIS FIRST COURTSHIP

"Quite in the ordinary way I should imagine It was my first courtship you know We met in the ordinary manner and I cannot recall that there was anything unusual about our early conversation

It was the horse show that attracted the nobleman who has served in three wars to American shores

I came over to your horse show he said I like horses and so does Miss Gould That established the bond Then I told her about the shows I had been to in South Africa and in India and that interested her Perhaps that seemed a little romantic but out of these things our friendship grew

COUNT FOUND GUILTY OF FRAUD

He Had the Audacity to Swindle Woman in Sale of Wine

TOULS Jan 14—Count De Aiby de Cotignon son of an Italian nobleman with swindling the Duchesse de Chaulnes out of $200 000 through the sale of spurious old masters and through heavy overcharges for champagne today was found guilty of the charge of swindling in his wine sales and was sentenced to nine months in prison

Persons in the courtroom manifested great delight over the outcome of the trial and the light sentence imposed The count was released immediately as he has already served nine months in prison

The Duchesse Chaulnes who instituted the suit and who it was said wished to recover some letters she had written the count when she was Mrs Charles Hamilton Paine testified against the count at the opening of the case but failed to appear again as a witness

Trust-Buster Kellogg Almost in Contempt

Seeming Tart Reply to Supreme Court Justices Gets Him a Hard Stare

WASHINGTON Jan 14—Frank B Kellogg the government's special trust buster came near being held up for contempt while arguing the Standard Oil case before the Supreme Court

We cannot hear you said Justice McKenna You drop your voice at the end of each sentence

Very well your honor I'll keep it up replied Mr Kellogg

Justice McKenna gave a stare and then laughed

Mr Kellogg explained that he meant that he would keep his voice up.

WANTON PLOT TO POISON UNFOLDS

Detective-Nurse Tells Thrilling Story of Mrs. Schenk's Alleged Crime.

Fair Prisoner Offers $1000 for the Life of Her Millionaire Husband.

WEEPING WATER Neb Jan 14— I wish to God he'd die

I'll give you a thousand dollars to kill him"

"I'm afraid I'll have to wear a double veil at his funeral to keep people from seeing me smile for joy"

Laura Farnsworth Schenk who is on trial here for poisoning her millionaire husband John O Schenk made those declarations as well as many others of almost equal significance to Miss Elinore Kline a detective nurse according to the testimony of Miss Kline on the witness stand today Led on by the simulated sympathy of the detective nurse the millionaire's wife gave her her full confidence and went as far as to deliver complete instructions as to how and when Miss Kline was to administer a poison pill and what she was to do subsequently

NURSE TELLS THRILLING STORY

The nurse's story told with the cold bloodedness of an experienced witness was one of the most stirring of the trial As she narrated it she gazed calmly from time to time at Mrs Schenk but the latter never raised her She kept her head down and continually made notes which she passed over to her lawyers But for the Kline ordeal she had steeled herself

Miss Kline is a slight person in her early thirties Her voice is as soft as a bird's and it was easy to see from her manner how she might have won the confidence of Mrs Schenk

GAINS MRS SHENK'S CONFIDENCE.

She told of her installation as nurse by Dr Hupp acting under the instructions of the prosecution and how she had set about gaining the confidence of the suspected woman She began by representing that Albert Schenk had been trying to get his sick brother to sign some papers I was then that Mrs Schenk said to her

"Now Miss Kline if Albert comes with what you think is a will telephone me at once Then on some pretext get him out of the Schenk room and keep him out until I arrive And if John Schenk should die go to his trousers and get a bunch of keys you will find there They open his safety deposit vaults and if Albert gets them he will go and grab John's stocks and bonds and devote them to his own use

Miss Evans another nurse previously testified to having had the same instructions about the keys

TELLS OF HER MISERY

Mrs Schenk after this told the detective of her unhappiness with the millionaire told when Miss Kline sympathized with her she exclaimed

If Dr Hupp knew what kind of a life John Schenk has led me he would not be so eager may be to save him I wish to God he'd die I rejoice every morning when Miss Evans calls me up and says that he's worse

Following this incident Miss Kline arranged for a confidential talk with Mrs Schenk outside the hospital They went in the automobile and the nurse told Mrs Schenk how she had again prevailed Albert Schenk from trying to get John to sign the will At this she said Mrs Schenk clapped her knees saying Good for you Miss Kline good for you

Was the story you told her true" asked the prosecutor

No sir I never told it to her to get in her confidence still further

Then what happened?

PLOT AGAINST SCHENK UNFOLDS

She spoke of her hatred for Albert Schenk of her unhappy life with John and then she volunteered this I pray to God every night but I may be awakened by a message that John Schenk is dead And there are times when I feel like killing him myself

I said to her then Well why don't you You have every chance

She looked at me a moment and said Would you" I replied Don't know but I can understand you feeling in the matter

What would you take to give him a pill" she asked

I hesitated and then said Well I need money badly enough Mrs Schenk but I'd hate to do it and I've got a mother and a little kid to support It looks good to me—but—I don't know you might give me away

Oh God exclaimed Mrs Schenk I'd give anything in the world to be rid of him Tell me—I'd never give you away—what would you take to give him some stuff

I'd have to have $5000 I told her

O Lordy she replied I have not got $5 000 but I'll give you $1000

Miss Kline demurred to this but said she would agree if Mrs Schenk would

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SCANDAL MAY SURROUND BARRY

Rear-Admiral's Retirement Result of Charges, Rumor in Navy Circles

Denies He Is to Be the Central Figure of a Sensational Courtmartial

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Rear Admiral Edward B Barry commanding the Pacific squadron will haul down his pennant from the flagship West Virginia in a few days and will retire under peculiar circumstances while Admiral Barry refuses to explain beyond saying there has been a slight personal dissatisfaction

Secretary of the Navy Meyer has approved his retirement at his own request after forty years of service but there is much gossip among the naval officers of the squadron at present in San Francisco bay and there are rumors that Admiral Barry's retirement was not wholly voluntary

Admiral Barry would be retired in the regular course of events next June on reaching the age limit of 64 years He raised his flag as commander in chief of the squadron only last November succeeding Rear Admiral Giles B Harber, and has only had fleet command for about two months

DENIES CHARGES

Yet in spite of the fact that he has reached the rank and command which is the ambition of every officer in the navy and for which he has been training more than forty five years Admiral Barry has availed himself of the regulation which permits an officer to be retired at his own request after forty years of service

Admiral Barry denies that the suggestion that he avail himself of the long service clause originated in the Navy Department as the result of any charges made against him officers of high rank in his squadron

He denies that his request to relinquish command was the only way in which he could avoid a courtmartial and prevent a scandal in the navy

PERSONAL MATTER

He said today when seen on board the West Virginia that he had to know of charges having been preferred against him either officially or unofficially but refused to discuss the matter saying his quitting the service while he is at the height of his career as a naval officer is beyond the statement It is due to a slight personal dissatisfaction

I am willing to admit that I have reasons of my own for asking to be relieved said Admiral Barry What these reasons are I prefer not to state I am dissatisfied with which under what I decline to state I have heard nothing of any charges to be placed against me I have not received any intimation from any source that I was to be tried by a courtmartial If I did not

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Many Seeking Pieces Of Battleship Maine

Historical Societies Appeal to War Department for Bits of Sunken Warship.

WASHINGTON Jan 14 — The War Department already has received applications from historical societies and organizations for parts of the battleship Maine which was sunk in Havana harbor

Representative Anderson of Ohio and Col Webb C Hayes today asked that one of the masts of the ship be given to the Perry centenary celebration commission

They were informed that the War Department had no authority to dispose of any part of the wreck but that the Secretary of War was preparing to ask Congress for authority to make a disposition of the vessel

Pope Annuls Title And Sued by Victim

The Former Papal Chamberlain Wants the $4000 He Paid for it Returned to Him

ROME Jan 14— Mr McSweeny formerly papal chamberlain whose elevated title of marquis a pontifical legation was recently annulled by the Pope who declined to order restitution of $4000 paid by the man under the title is suing the Vatican

The Marquis suit for damages for the annulment is unprecedented in heraldry The Vatican requests to refund the money which it says does not present the price of a title but a charitable contribution made when the donee was a Catholic

Mr McSweeny owing to his divorce and re marriage is now a protestant

Plan to Unite Power And Defeat Sheehan

NEW YORK Jan 14 — It was learned today on trustworthy authority that powerful efforts are being made to unite Governor Dix and Mayor Gaynor in an open compact to defeat the election of Wm F Sheehan to the United States Senate by throwing their combined strength in the legislature to Alton B Parker as the compromise candidate between Edward M. Shepard and Sheehan

STRANGE PHASES OF THE BURKE TRIAL

PRINCIPALS IN BURKE CASE

REVELATIONS STARTLING IN EXTREME

Unconventional Ideas Promulgated by Physician

SANTA ROSA Jan 14—Since it began on September 1st of last year the trial of Dr Burke has been replete with the mystic and the bizarre and the story of the affairs that existed at his sanitarium outside Santa Rosa has been told from the mouths of many witnesses

Lu Eta Smith was in a tent house on the sanitarium grounds when an explosion wrecked it early in February 1910 and came running the lives of herself and her infant boy

WOMAN CHARGED MURDER ATTEMPT

The woman charged that this boy was the son of Dr Burke and that the physician had tried to kill them because she had been persisting that he contribute to their support

Following a lengthy investigation by District Attorney Lea of Sonoma county evidence was filed before the grand jury that resulted in the indictment of Dr Burke about a month after the explosion Dr Burke was arrested on a charge of murder in the first degree

Lu Eta Smith left Santa Rosa after the indictment of Dr Burke and had gone to live with the Rev W F Oliver in Berkeley She disappeared from the Dike home on April 10 '10 and was traced by detectives in the employ of District Attorney Lea to a Pacific Mail steamer which she had boarded in San Francisco bay She was eventually found at Yokohama and consented to return to the United States arriving last September 1st when it was made the disclosure that she had been induced to leave by Marion De Vries a friend of Dr Burke

TRIAL LONG DELAYED

Dr Burke trial was postponed from September 1st last until November 9 when jurors were drawn to hear the testimony Much of this testimony has been too amazing to print and it has shown a remarkable state of affairs to exist at the sanitarium directed by Dr Burke

DISCIPLE OF FREE LOVE

Doctor Burke it appeared from his own letters and from the testimony of witnesses was an avowed disciple of free love He subscribed to the most revolutionary doctrines in the matter of the relations of the sexes it developed and had written a lengthy thesis in support of his views that created a profound sensation when read in court

This long dissertation had been addressed to Lu Eta Smith by Dr Burke

TESTIMONY UNFIT TO PRINT

Those views of Dr Burke were not as amazing however as some of the testimony that was given at the trial Both the defense and the prosecution

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IMPORTANT WITNESS GIVES AID

Government Believed to Have Been Swindled Out of Large Sums

San Francisco Custom House Officials Making Vigorous Investigation

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14 — Startling revelations of extensive frauds perpetrated against the United States customs service by importers of Oriental goods were made public today by Calvin Kenyon a wealthy young Japanese expert in curios and antiques

After having been questioned for several hours by Assistant United States Attorney Benjamin McKinley Komyo was put on the witness stand before the grand jury by Joseph O Lea to be held as the chief witness for the Government in the cases of Abe Cutting of San Francisco and W A Wilmot of Oakland who were arrested last Thursday on the charge of conspiring to defraud the Government out of thousands of dollars by undervaluing goods imported from the Far East

KOMYO CLOSELY GUARDED

So important was the information afforded from this source by the government officials that extraordinary precautions were taken to prevent any one connected with the case from coming in contact with Komyo

The girl interpreter who translated into the court for Komyo is being kept under the personal guard of United States agents and strict orders have been issued against his being permitted to leave the building or to converse with any person on the outside without the written consent of his appointed guardian

ALMOST IN COLLAPSE

Komyo was almost in a state of collapse when he was discharged from the office of District Attorney Lea He was fully frightened that stories he told Mr McKinley and Special Agent Malloy concerning him that no harm would befall him

MANY FRAUDS REVEALED

It is said according to the government officials that startling evidence will be given when the grand jury reconvenes on Monday Assistant District Attorney Ward in addition it was said that Komyo would tell details of numerous other frauds against the customs service which the government officials have been unable to prove

LONG LIST OF FRAUDS

Though the value of the goods consigned to Cutting and seized by the government before the arrests is small some of the articles mentioned in the list of goods are of great value Experts claim that collectors' prices on some of the articles would run into the thousands of dollars

Until evaluation trials be held several hundred cases and extend back over a period of several years are now being investigated and the customs officials hint that further arrests will

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MAY PERSUADE THEM TO SEE THE LIGHT

President Taft Is to Dine the Ways and Means Committee Members.

WASHINGTON Jan 14—President Taft has summoned all the Republican members of the Ways and Means committee to meet at the White House dinner tomorrow night the tariff commission will be the subject discussed that evening The President will make a determined stand for a genuine tariff board and the protesting Republican committeemen will be asked to see the light

This dinner invitation came on the heels of an independent effort on the part of the committeemen this morning to get together on a bill providing for a permanent tariff board or commission Seven members of the committee were at this conference It is understood that nine of them agreed to the Longworth bill with some modifications and that Dalzell and Fordney stubbornly opposed it

Fear That Czarina Is Now on Her Deathbed

Little Hope Held Out for Royal Woman, Hallucinations Been, Pitiful

(By GEORGE FRAZIER)

ST PETERSBURG Jan 14—It would cause no surprise if the announcement of the death of the Czarina should be made any day The hope that the long rest at the Empress at Tsarskoe Selo would prove of permanent benefit has proven futile Her ailment seems to be a complete nervous breakdown One of the most frequent hallucinations is that the little Czarevitch is in deadly peril Her anxiety for her only son is painful to see

The Czar is grayish over the condition of the Czarina and is in constant attendance upon her, but it is feared that the end for her majesty is not very far off.

Auction Sale!

FURNITURE AUCTION

On Tuesday January 17 at 11 o'clock at the Elite Hotel 1000 Franklin st between 9th and 10th sts we will sell the entire contents consisting of Parlor Suits Couches Rockers Center Tables Sewing Machine Ranges Stoves and large line of other useful household requisites. Sale absolute

MEYSEL & MEYSEL, Auctioneers.

Heeseman's 15-Day Sale

Begins Tomorrow, January 16. Our Tenth Anniversary in This Store

THAT RAIN HELD OFF SO LONG that it made our Fall season a little short, consequently our stock is a little long, and we find it necessary to unload some of our FALL SUITS and OVERCOATS. Not a bunch of job lots or broken lines bought for the occasion, but our regular Fall lines from the very best makers of clothing—such as Hart, Schaffner & Marx, Stein Bloch Co., and the College Brand.

Following are the inducements we make to move the number of Suits and Overcoats we want to sell within 15 days:

ALL MEN'S CLOTHING REDUCED

ALL OF OUR MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS, INCLUDING HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX AND STEIN BLOCH MAKES.

ANY REGULAR $15.00 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $13.50
ANY REGULAR $17.50 OR $20 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $15.85
ANY REGULAR $22.50 OR $25 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $19.85
ANY REGULAR $27.50 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $21.85
ANY REGULAR $30.00 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $24.85
ANY REGULAR $32.50 OR $35 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $26.85
ANY REGULAR $40.00 SUIT OR OVERCOAT $32.85

ALL OF OUR YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

SECOND FLOOR

$35 and $32.50 SUITS $26.85
$30.00 SUITS $24.85
$27.50 SUITS $21.85
$25 and $22.50 SUITS $19.85
$20 and $17.50 SUITS $15.85
$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 SUITS LESS 10% DISCOUNT

Fifteen-Day Hat Specials

Forty dozen Soft Hats; regular $2 grade, in brown, gray, tan and black— $1.35

Eighteen dozen Stiff Hats; regular $2.50 kind, in black only; all sizes— 95c

Our Entire Stock of Boys' Clothing

Including Boys' Long Overcoats (button to chin), Boys' and Girls' Reefer Overcoats, Boys' Russian Suits and Sailor Blouse Suits; also every Boys' Knickerbocker Suit (except blue serges) will go on sale. The following discounts will be made on the above goods:

$20.00 Garments, now $13.85
$15.00 Garments, now $11.85
$12.50 Garments, now ..... $ 9.85
$10.00 Garments, now ..... $ 7.85
$ 8.50 Garments, now ..... $ 6.85
$ 7.50 Garments, now ..... $ 5.85
$ 6.50 Garments, now ..... $ 5.35
$ 5.00 Garments, now ..... $ 4.35
$ 3.95 Garments, now ..... $ 3.35

Our Girls' and Misses' Long Coats

MANNISH MATERIALS WITH CONVERTIBLE AND PRESTO COLLARS

$ 7.50 Coats now ..... $ 5.85
$ 8.50 Coats now ..... $ 6.85
$10.00 Coats now ..... $ 7.85
$12.50 Coats now ..... $ 9.85
$15.00 Coats now $11.85
$17.50 Coats now $12.85
$20.00 Coats now $14.85
$25.00 Coats now $17.85

Men's Furnishing Goods Specials

Men' Shirts

All regular $1.50 Fancy Shirts $1.15
All regular $2 and $2.50 Fancy Shirts $1.65
All Fancy Stiff Bosom Shirts, cuffs attached, from $1.50 to $3.00 ..... 95c

Underwear

20 dozen White Wool Underwear; regular $1.25..... 75c
16 dozen Grey Wool Underwear; regular $1.00.... 75c
All of the regular 50c Ribs, all colors 40c

20 Per Cent Off All Fancy Vests

Sweater Coats

All regular $2.50 Sweater Jackets .. $2.15
All regular $4 Fancy Trimmed Sweater Jackets $3.15
Eight dozen Imported Jackets; heather mixtures worth $12 ..... $3.85

Handkerchiefs and Socks

Initial Handkerchiefs in Leather Cases.
Regular $3.00 sets of ½ dozen Initial Linen Handkerchiefs $1.85
Regular $1.50 sets of ¼ dozen Initial Linen Handkerchiefs $1.15
Fifty sets including Tie, Handkerchief and Sox to match; regular $2.50 set $1.50

In Our Boys' Hat Dept.—THE FOLLOWING BIG SPECIALS:

All Children's Beaver Hats, all colors, from $3.00 to $4.00—Special $1.95
All Children's Beaver Hats, all colors, from $4.50 to $7.50—Special $2.95
All Children's Patent Leather Hats, all grades, from 95c to $1.75—Special... 29c
A 1 Boys' Felt Hats, all shapes, $1.00 grade—Special 85c
A 1 Boys' Felt Hats, all shapes, $1.50 grade—Special $1.35
A 1 Boys' Felt Hats, all shapes, $2.00 grade—Special $1.65
A 1 Boys' Felt Hats, all shapes, $2.50 grade—Special $2.15
A 1 Boys' Golf Caps, all colors, 25c grade—Special 19c
A 1 Boys' Golf Caps, all colors, 50c grade—Special 43c
A 1 Boys' Golf Caps, all colors, $1.00 grade—Special 85c

Boys' Furnishings

Including Boys' Shirts, Boys' Blouses, Boys' Night Gowns and Pajamas, Boys' Sweaters, Boys' Knicker Pants, etc., we will offer

10 Per Cent Discount

Young Men's Peg-Top Corduroy and Fancy Trousers

One Big Special Peg-Top Corduroy, two colors, $3.50 grade..$2.95
Balance of whole stock

20 Per Cent Discount

C. J. HEESEMAN
OAKLAND

20 Per Cent Off On All Trunks and Grips

DELAYED TRAINS REACH OAKLAND MOLE FROM EAST

Snow Blockade Has Been Heaviest in Years; Sacramento River Rising Rapidly; Railroads Resume Schedule

After two days of stubborn fighting against snow and sleet, and in the teeth of a fierce mountain gale, the Southern Pacific forces finally broke the snow blockade on the Sierra division yesterday morning and later in the day the company landed at the Oakland mole the first of a dozen train loads of travelers that had been stalled between Cisco and Reno.

In the afternoon the announcement was made that everything was moving on the mountain division and unless there was some unforeseen interference all belated travelers would be in early today.

The first of the overdue trains to reach the Oakland mole yesterday was No. 9, the China and Japan fast mail, which should have been here Thursday. It was followed by the San Francisco Overland Limited due here Friday, and next came the Western Express, No. 6, that should have been here Thursday.

OVERLAND ARRIVES.

The Goldfield passenger train due Friday arrived at 1:30 this morning. Half an hour later the China and Japan mail, due Friday, arrived. It was followed at 1:45 a. m. by the Western Express of Friday, and the San Francisco Overland Limited and China and Japan Mail, one day late, and two other trains.

The lapse in the time between the arrivals of the first train and those after midnight is explained by the fact that shortly after traffic was started yesterday morning in the Sierras there was an unexpected snowslide at Cisco, which caused a delay of several hours.

RIVER IS RISING.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—For the first time in forty-two hours the Southern Pacific's railroad communication with the east were open today. The snow is seven feet deep at the Summit, and fears are entertained that a change in the temperature will bring a warm rain that will cause an avalanche of snowslides. The Southern Pacific has a hundred or more flat cars laden with sacks of sand to rush to points where the track is threatened with destruction.

The Sacramento river has risen ten feet two inches since Thursday. The rise today was two feet, and Weather Forecaster Taylor expects that it will reach the twenty-five-foot mark by tomorrow evening.

Reports from Truckee characterize the storm as the worst since 1890.

It took 150 men and a rotary snow plow five hours to clear the track west of Cisco, where the sheds were swept away. The track between Folsom and Placerville was blocked today by a slide of several hundred tons of rock, so that trains to Placerville were annulled.

MOUNTAIN STAGES LOST.

NEVADA CITY, Jan. 14.—The stages on the Downieville, Washington and Graniteville lines are stalled somewhere in the mountains in the great storm that started Monday, covering the high Sierras with snow from three to twelve feet deep. They have not been heard from in three days. The rainfall for the storm here is over thirteen inches to 6 o'clock last night.

PACHECO IS FLOODED.

MARTINEZ, Jan. 14.—The town of Pachero, a settlement seven miles from here, is completely inundated as the result of the fall of five inches of rain since 8 o'clock Friday morning. The streets are flooded, the telephone and telegraph wires are down and the county road leading from Martinez is washed away. All of the lowlands in Contra Costa county are more or less flooded. The tides are also high and have contributed to the overflow of the waters. Rain gauges show that 6½ inches of rain fell since 8 o'clock Friday morning.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 14.—Traffic on the coast line between San Francisco and Santa Barbara has not been impaired by the storm. The county for about four miles north of San Jose to Alviso and as far west as Mountain View is under water. Rowboats enabled the residents of the district between Agnew and Alviso to escape from the dangers of the flood. The Guadalupe river flowing through this section has broken over its banks and carried everything before it.

The creeks running through this city were this afternoon within a foot of breaking over the banks. This is the highest they have been since 1892. The fire department today saved two bridges blockaded by floating trees and chicken houses.

Overland Train Arrives After Delay in Snow

Speeding through the snowsheds the overland limited train arrived yesterday afternoon at 4:45 from Chicago with about sixty passengers after a delay of twenty-four hours at Sparks, Nev., where the snow, according to several of the passengers, was fifteen feet in depth.

The delay was scarcely noticed by the passengers, who received splendid treatment at the hands of the Southern Pacific officials in charge of the cars. Every comfort and convenience was extended and the men, women and children who were aboard expressed their gratitude for the thoughtfulness of the porters and the other assistants.

ENJOYED EXPERIENCE.

"The trip was uneventful," said George Kirby, who was one of the passengers from Jacksonville, Fla., "and I enjoyed it immensely. I did not notice the delay of twenty-four hours as my wife and I spent the day in Sparks, where the train stopped owing to the heavy snow. This delay I believe, was the first that has occurred in twenty-one years, and I do not think that the passengers were at all nervous, as they were assured by the officials that there was no danger and that the way would soon be clear and that they would arrive at their destination within the course of a day or two.

"The trip was pleasant and the sudden change of scenery, from the snow-clad Sierras to the green fields of California, was most picturesque and interesting.

"There was about six feet of snow in Truckee and I guess that was the only place in California where I observed snow.

"We will probably make our home in San Francisco indefinitely."

PASSENGERS FOR OAKLAND.

The overland limited train was slated to arrive yesterday afternoon at 3:40, but did not reach the Sixteenth street station until 4:45. There were a number of men and women awaiting the arrival of the belated train, which carried about fifty easterners to San Francisco. A number of passengers stepped off at Sixteenth street to take in the sights on this side of the bay.

At 3:20 the United States overland mail train from the East distributed the mail. It was also due yesterday, but was delayed owing to the snow.

The overland China mail, which was scheduled to reach here yesterday at 2:07, was also snow-bound and will not be here until 12:30 today.

Storm Caused a Traffic Delay on Santa Cruz Line

SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 14.—Two inches of rain here and more than double that amount in the mountains last night caused the San Lorenzo River to overflow its banks and at high tide today the lower end of Pacific avenue was flooded. In the office of the Union Traction Company the water was a foot deep and the Southern Pacific depot was in the midst of a lake.

Many persons living along the river are unable to leave their homes but they are in no danger.

Street car service to the beach has been suspended and all railroad trains over the mountain division of the Southern Pacific have been called off, as a precaution against accident. The early train for San Francisco today went only as far as Felton, and the train from Boulder Creek was stopped at Ben Lomond.

Skies Clear After Almost Five Inches Had Soaked Earth

Heavy clouds which for five and one-half days had overcast Oakland and vicinity, spreading over the length and breadth of the state, was well, and precipitating a volume of rainfall which in spite of its lateness has already almost equaled the average at this time of year, were broken and cast to the winds about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Oakland and by evening the sky had almost entirely cleared allowing the almost full moon mastery of the field after sundown.

According to the records kept by Professor Burckhalter at Chabot Observatory there has been more than 4:50 inches of rainfall resulting from the storm, making the total so far this season almost ten inches as against 11.2 inches for the same length of time last year. That it has been a sufficiency is stated by many authorities as the ground has received all that it can absorb for some time. The reservoirs for water supply are now either filled or to such a capacity that should there be no more rainfall this season, the supply will last through another year. The farmers also are content with the benefits they have derived from the steady downpour.

Berkeley Suffers But Small Harm From Rainstorm

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—No material damage has been done to the streets of the city from the rain of the past twenty-four hours, according to the statement of Assistant Street Superintendent Engebretsen. In a number of cases gutters have become blocked up with debris, and culverts along small creeks have been unable to carry the flood of water, but aside from this the damage is nominal.

The three wagons of the street department were out during the day, and eighteen men of the street cleaning force, cleaning out gutters and making a few necessary repairs, but aside from this the city will probably be put to very little expense from the storm.

Western Pacific Is Seriously Troubled In Handling Traffic

The Western Pacific company is having its share of trouble on its western and mountain divisions and its officials are not prepared to say when they will resume a through train service. It is raining up through the Feather River canyon as far as Belden and from there to Portola, a distance of about sixty miles, the Western Pacific tracks are completely buried under four or five feet of hard snow. Train No. 7, out of Salt Lake City Wednesday, is still stalled at Portola, where its passengers are being cared for at a hotel. A late report from there last night was that it was still snowing.

Vice-President Schlacks of the Western Pacific, and E. F. Gookum, chairman of the executive board of the Frisco lines, who left here in a special car Friday morning for Salt Lake City and got as far as Belden, returned yesterday to Stockton, where Gookum boarded a Santa Fe train for the East. The Western Pacific is trying to break through the snow-bound tracks with snow wedges, but with little success. It has a big snow plow on the way from Denon, but even with this big implement it is not expected that the line between Belden and Portola will be open for four or five days.

The Santa Fe company's train service has not been interfered with so far by the storm. Near Marysville it was reported yesterday that one of the Northern Electric company's bridges across the Yuba river was badly damaged and anticipating further trouble the company was arranging to use the rails over the bridge of the Western Pacific to cross the river.

MILLIONAIRES PLAN SUPERB PLAYHOUSE

New York May Have the Most Magnificent Theater in the World.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—A plan is being considered by W. K. Vanderbilt, J. P. Morgan, Otto Kahn and other millionaires in the directorates of the Metropolitan opera house and the New Theater to combine these two institutions under one roof in the largest and most magnificent structure of its kind in the world.

Mr. Kahn has had the most prominent part in the movement, as Mr. Vanderbilt and Mr. Morgan are so often absent.

A theatrical syndicate headed by the Shuberts has offered to take over the present New Theater building and manage it in the production of spectacle plays.

Similarly a tentative offer is said to have been made to David Belasco to take charge of the proposed colossal theater, which will be built as a part of the new opera house just as the Garden theater is a structural part of Madison Square Garden.

Mr. Shubert would not discuss the matter today and Mr. Belasco, through a representative, said he had no statement to make at present.

DREXEL PREPARES TO FLY ACROSS COUNTRY

Aviator Poring Over Map to Select Route for Trial at Great Feat.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—J. Armstrong Drexel, the American millionaire aviator, who lives in England, is making extensive preparations to win W. R. Hearst's $50,000 prize for the first aeroplane flight from coast to coast. It is probable that never have such elaborate plans been made to win a prize as are encompassed and contemplated by Mr. Drexel.

He is now in England actively making ready for his epic feat. At Beaulieu in the Hampshire Forest, the young Philadelphian is working daily on the craft he will use in trying to fly from Los Angeles to New York. For ten days he has been rummaging among the French aviation camps to discover the best ideas to incorporate in his machine.

The aeroplane is being built by Bleriot under Drexel's supervision. It will be a monoplane. Drexel intends to carry extra equipment as well as food and drink and clothing, in the craft with which he makes the transcontinental flight.

But he does not depend upon the carrying capacity of his craft to insure him supplies.

ONLY EMERGENCY AIDS.

Those are only to be extraordinary emergency aids. The real science of his preparations consist in the manner in which he plans to scatter aeroplanes, motors, parts, oil, fuel and mechanics across the American continent.

On the map of the United States, which he pores over at Beaulieu he has traced his route and has mapped off the stations where he will deposit his materials. The planning of these bases of supplies is evidence of unusual generalship.

As quickly as one section of the country has been safely left behind, the supplies placed in the territory will be rushed along to another relay by automobiles and a special train. If it is possible Young Drexel hopes to make the trip in less than the thirty day limit conditioned under the rules.

Drexel intends to come to America in May. He plans to start on the flight across the continent in June or July.

TAFT WILL EXTEND OLIVE BRANCH TO JAPAN

Hopes Anti-Japanese Sentiment on Pacific Coast Will Not Become Radical.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Intimations that the Washington government believes it practicable to extend the Taft-Knox policy of "peace and arbitration" to Japan as well as Great Britain, so as to render the coming revision of the treaties between the United States and the Asiatic power a comparatively light matter, excited from the outset the liveliest gratification in London.

This sentiment grows stronger as the diplomatic and commercial advantage of a tri-partite arrangement between Washington, London and Tokio, are more clearly perceived.

Hope is expressed that nothing may occur on the Pacific slope, pending the discussion of the president's projects in the senate, calculated to cause outbursts of racial animosity and the people of California are urged to make a "supreme effort at self-restraint."

JAPAN'S PROTEST.

Prominence is given to the "dignified protest" of the Japanese consul-general at San Francisco against measures of a "discriminating" character, by the state legislature. And the Californians are admonished to "think" nationally and internationally if they really desire to serve the interests of all the states, instead of the interests of one at the expense of the others.

By an important radical organ the suggestion is made that, even if Mr. Taft has his own way in the fortification of the Panama canal, he "would assuredly welcome an American-British-Japanese agreement as to the right of the three nations over the waterway in time of war." This supposition, it adds, is to enable "on the probably accurate theory that Uncle Sam in fortifying would not have in his eye either the Briton or the Malay as the chief factor of potential peril."

Vanderbilt Arrives From Tour Abroad

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt Sr. was among the passengers who arrived today on board the steamer Provence, of the French line. Mr. Robert W. Goelet, who also came over on the liner, accompanied his mother, Mrs Harriet Louise Goelet.

Women Planned Murder, Says Nurse, While They Were on a Motor Trip

HATRED OF SCHENK LEADS WIFE TO CRIME

She Hires Detective Disguised as Nurse to Poison Her Millionaire Husband.

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furnish the poison and give her a written promise to pay more later Mrs Schenk refused to give any promise in writing, but said she would get the "stuff."

Prosecutor Handlan at this point inquired on what part of the motor trip this conversation had taken place The witness said it was on the way to the country. He asked if there was any interruption in the discussion of the poisoning plan and Miss Kline replied

CHAUFFEUR ALSO HEARS.

"Only this' I said to Mrs. Schenk, 'Is not it possible that your chauffeur up in front there may be hearing what we say? Had not we better be more careful?' She said, 'Oh, no; you know we are going up hill and the engine is noisy Coming back down hill the engine won't be running and then Lundy can hear anything we say.'"

As a matter of fact, according to the prosecution, Lundy Wilson, the driver, did hear the whole talk and will be placed upon the stand on Monday to corroborate it.

"I'LL GET THE POISON."

"We went on and discussed our plans,' Miss Kline continued. "Mrs Schenk said, 'I'll get the poison if you'll give it to him I'll bring it to the hospital a 10.30 tomorrow morning and I'll give you your $1000.'

"I said to her, 'I'm sort of afraid' She said, 'You've got all the chance in the world. You can either give it to him in his medicine at night or you can put it in the medicine, place the glass on the table beside his bed and then walk away and let him take it himself And as soon as the breath of life leaves him get those keys'"

"All this," the prosecutor asked, "was on the way out to the country, was it not? Did anything happen or the way back?"

"Yes," replied the detective. "I felt I was now in Mrs. Schenk's confidence and so I said to her. 'Mrs. Schenk, I'm going to ask you a very personal question and you need not answer it if you don't want to. My experience as a trained nurse indicates to me that your husband is suffering from arsenic poisoning. Now between woman and woman and good friends, did you ever put arsenic in his food and drink?'"

"POUF!" RETORTS MRS. SCHENK.

Mrs Schenk's only reply to this, according to the witness, was to expell her breath with a contemptuous "pouf."

When they returned to Wheeling the nurse said she and Mrs Schenk went to a restaurant, had a luncheon and agreed to meet in the hospital the next morning and carry out the poison plot. Miss Kline left her with that understanding then at once reported the whole conversation to Dr. Hupp and Prosecutor Handlan.

"She did not appear at the appointed time,' the witness continued, "so I called her up and asked her why. She replied, 'Nothing doing. I could not get the article. But we'd better not talk over the 'phone.'

"Later I did see her. Then she said she was rather afraid of Albert Schenk and Dr. Haslins, who is Albert's brother-in-law. 'If John should die too suddenly,' she said, 'Albert would blame me at once and would have Dr. Huskins open John's stomach. I know they'll both suspect me But I would like to give him a dose, anyhow.'

"'If you really were suspected, Mrs Schenk, how would you be able to stand it?' I asked her.

"'Oh, I guess I could carry out the game all right,' she said."

At this point the nurse's thrilling tale was cut off by the adjournment hour, but will be taken up again Monday morning

VIRGINIA and ROBERT SCHENK, whose prattling lead to suspicion of Mrs. Schenk.

Craving for Pleasure Leads Numerous Women to Crime

NEW YORK, Jan 14. — Three women charged with murder apparently for gain, appear in today's news.

At Wheeling, W. Va., Mrs. Laura Farnsworth Schenck is on trial charged with trying to kill her elderly millionaire husband with poison, so she might have his money and freedom.

In court today Mrs. Klein, a detective who had posed as a nurse, told a graphic story that led up to Mrs. Schenck's arrest, the most startling part of which was a reported offer of Mrs Schenck of $1000 to the woman detective to poison Schenck

In Albany, N Y, Mrs. Edith Melber was arraigned for killing with poison, her 6-year-old son, George, the police allege, because he stood in the way of her marriage with a man who would have been able to give her the comforts she desired. She has confessed the killing, though not the motive, and when she was taken to Albany it was necessary to have a heavy police guard to protect her from a mob of infuriated women who had gathered to wreak vengeance on her.

At Newark, N. J., counsel for Mrs. Caroline B. Martin, awaiting sentence for the murder of her daughter, Ocey Snead, in order to get insurance money, served notice of appeal to the Supreme Court in an effort to have the woman adjudged insane

What is the reason why women thus figure so prominently in the criminal news? This question was put to Mrs John A. Logan. Her answer follows:

"Does the fact that these women figuring in the day's news accused of murder for money indicate a weakening of the fibre of women in general? I think not There have always been women who have been willing to commit the most heinous crimes for the sake of the material. There have always been men—more men than women—of which the statement is equally true.

"The fact that woman is charged with such crimes as are laid at the door of Mrs Schenck, Mrs. Melber and Mrs Martin gives these crimes greater news value than if similar crimes were charged against men This in itself is evidence that woman is less likely than man to commit such crimes

"It is, however, a fact, I believe, that the mad striving for wealth and power is responsible for this class of crime on the part of both men and women. Modern conditions of life are such that cravings for pleasure are created which can only be satisfied by the craving for money.

"The fact that there are so many cases in one day's news is, I am sure, coincidental and in no way indicates that mankind or womankind is growing reckless of human life"

IMPORTERS OF ORIENTAL GOODS ARE SUSPECTED

Under Valuations at the San Francisco Custom House Brought to Light Following Arrests

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have been arrested and put on their defense.

It is said to be probable that Collector Stratton will ask that D Frank Lloyd, the assistant United States attorney general who assisted Marion de Vries of the board of general appraisers in the undervaluation inquiry at San Francisco during September and October 1909, be dispatched to this city to take up the criminal prosecutions that have been begun. It is said also that Chief Wilkie of the United States secret service, who was lately commissioned to reorganize the entire force of special agents of the Treasury Department, will be requisitioned by Collector Stratton to direct the intricate and difficult work of ferreting out the host of importers against whom the customs officers have already secured more or less evidence

LIMITATION TIME SIX YEARS.

Frauds long forgotten have been revived by newly discovered evidence, and it is declared by the government agents that wherever sufficient proof of guilt can be secured prosecutions will be instituted regardless of the time at which the offense was committed

It has been found that the statute of limitations against crimes similar to those charged against Cutting and Wilson does not take effect until six years after the commission of the crime. This provision of the law is regarded by the government officials as being of peculiar value to them in the present investigation, as some of the offenses that have been uncovered are said to have been committed nearly five years ago.

"No delay" is the order that has gone out to all the government officers concerned in the prosecution of Cutting and Wilson and in the investigation of the greater frauds

Both Cutting and Wilson were taken before United States Commissioner Harry M Wright this morning for examination, and their cases were continued to next Saturday for hearing After having spent the previous night in the Alameda county jail, the prisoners secured their release on $2000 bail each. Attorney Frank C Drew appeared for them, and about the first thing he did was to seal their lips

ATTORNEY IS SILENT.

"I have instructed my clients to say nothing about the charge that has been lodged against them," said Drew, "and I will say nothing myself. Our defense will be made in court"

But the Government officials were not so secretive, although they refused to disclose much of the evidence that they claim to have against the accused men.

It was said that Komyo, while under examination in the District Attorney's office, declared that he had been instructed by either Cutting or Wilson to undervalue the goods that had been bought from him And it was said that he further declared that he was warned from the same source not to come to San Francisco, as there was trouble with the custom house The letters received by him bear out his assertions.

WILSON AS AGENT.

"Komyo stated," said one government official, "that he had received letters from both Cutting and Wilson. He said that Wilson acted as the agent of Cutting in the purchase of curious and antiquities.

"Wilson was located at Shidzouka, Japan, and Komyo's home town was Kyoto, Japan, Koymo said that it was his practice to collect antiques from various points in China, Japan and India and ship them from the interior to the seacoast.

"He showed written records of his transactions with Wilson and Cutting, and these records won to prove that the goods purchased from Koymo and imported to this country were undervalued at the custom house by many thousands of dollars," it was stated "He admitted his acts so freely and fully that it was the opinion of all the officials who listened to him that he had no criminal intent in anything that he did"

AIDS THE GOVERNMENT.

Another federal official said that it was a piece of good fortune for the government that Komyo came to San Francisco to protect his interest in the sales he had made.

"Komyo's knowledge of the curio importing business, and of the crooked methods pursued by American importers," said this official, "is worth $'0,000 a year to the customs service. He will be invaluable to us in the prosecution of Cutting and Wilson, and also in the larger investigation of the greater frauds

He has had dealings with a number of other importers, and he has knowledge of the transactions of other Japanese curio gatherers with importers.

"Had the San Francisco customers of Komyo dealt fairly with him," continued the official, "they might have been spared the revelation of the information he has given the government He came to San Francisco because he had been unable to secure payment on his goods, and because his debtors would give him no satisfaction in the matter After the customs service seized the Komyo consignment of curios the consignees withheld payment from Komyo.

WITH ALL RECORDS.

"Though he is only twenty-two years old, Komyo is an experienced business man, and he was determined to make a personal visit to this city and enforce payment on his claims He arrived here about thirty days ago with all the records of his dealings with Cutting and Miler and other persons His presence in the city was soon learned by the customs officials, and they were not long in securing all the evidences of fraud that he had in his possession. By means of Komyo's papers we were able to trace fraudulent transactions back as far as 1906. He has assisted us in translating and explaining his records, and from them we have learned enough to satisfy us that the crimes now charged against Cutting and Wilson are mere trifles in comparison with the crimes we hope to lay at the doors of many other offenders"

Customs Attorney Bley has undertaken the task of convincing the customs officials that the goods shipped here by Komyo ought to be released to him. Whether Bley will succeed in regaining the curios for his client is a matter resting largely with Collector Stratton and with the United States District Attorney The goods are now viewed by the government as evidence against Cutting and Wilson, and they have declined thus far to discuss the matter of the final disposition of the property.

STOWAWAY PUT ASHORE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 14—A stowaway was found on the steamer Carlos as she put to sea this morning A boat was lowered and the unbidden passenger put ashore at the Presidio.

SUFFRAGETTE ADVOCATES POLYGAMY

Mrs. M. M. Menken Thinks It Is Cure for Prevailing Divorce Evil.

Makes Stirring Speech at a Mock Meeting of Women Governors.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—"Polygamy is the most feasible of all the panaceas that have been put forward for the cure of the divorce evil.

"I favor polygamy for those who want it"

It is not an elder of the Mormon church who is speaking, nor the shade of Brigham Young, or even one of the 43 children of Joseph Smith.

Mrs. Mortimer M. Menken, wife of a prominent attorney, is the one woman in a city full of suffragettes and "Modern Women" who dare to raise her voice in defense of the plural marriage system Mrs. Menken, who is a member of the Equal Franchise Society, the Political Study Society and the parliament, attended the mock meeting of the women governors of the latter organization at the Waldorf-Astoria on Friday.

THROWS AUDIENCE IN PANIC.

Each of the women present represented a state Mrs. Menken was the governor of Utah, and she threw the audience into a panic when she boldly declared herself in favor of a return to the practice of polygamy. Today Mrs Menken received a reporter at her home. She laughed heartily when asked if she favored the adoption of polygamy for all women.

"My beliefs are hardly as drastic as that," she replied. "Now I did not say that I should advise all men to get themselves half a dozen wives or to women to bind themselves into clubs of a dozen or more members and marry some man.

"But from my first-hand observations in Utah I believe that polygamy makes for morality It is even spreading into the surrounding states, Idaho, in particular The people are beginning to realize the many benefits to be derived from polygamy Polygamy, for instance, settles the labor question In Utah you see the husband and his four, six or eight wives, as the case may be, tilling the soil in perfect harmony. All take a personal interest in the farm and the result is that the family is independent"

RETIRING UNDER CLOUD, IS RUMOR

Rear-Admiral Barry Faces the Charges, Is Claim, but He Denies It.

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leave the navy, and I was not asked to retire to avoid a court martial.

"I will not say that my dissatisfaction is with the service or any officer of the navy or official of the navy department I am asking for retirement under the naval regulation which gives any officer who has served forty years the right to ask to be retired from the active list. Secretary Meyer has approved of my quest, according to unofficial dispatches published in the newspapers, and I expect to go on the retired list in a few days That is all I care to say"

There are officers who say that Admiral Barry could not have slight personal differences with any of the officers of the fleet which would place him in a position that would make him feel it necessary to relinquish his flag.

REASON PROBLEMATICAL.

He is commander in-chief of the squadron, and as such his opinions on all matters related to the fleet would overrule any other officer under his command, so it is argued that his trouble is not with a subordinate officer, but directly with the navy department. Also it would be impossible for any officer of the Pacific squadron to prefer charges against Admiral Barry anywhere else than direct by with the navy department, and under the naval regulations the charges would not be forwarded to Washington except with Admiral Barry's own permission, otherwise they would have to be made over his head, would have to be of a serious nature and it would be worth any officer's commission to forward charges in such a manner unless he was able to produce the evidence proving them true

HAS LONG RECORD.

The next officer in rank with the squadron is Rear Admiral Chauncey Thomas, at present commanding the second division of the squadron, who, it has been announced, will succeed Admiral Barry in command of the squadron

Admiral Barry bears one of the proudest names in the navy, and was the son of an officer. He was appointed to the naval academy on account of his father's connection with the service He was born in New York October 29, 1846 and entered the navy in July 1865 He has had more than twenty-seven years of sea service and has held various important assignments with naval bureaus and has an excellent record as a naval officer.

LONG CHICAGO STRIKE ENDED BY AGREEMENT

CHICAGO, Jan 14 -The strike of garment workers of Chicago, which has been drawn out for many weeks and which was participated in by nearly 35,000 workers, was practically settled today when an agreement was signed with Hart, Schaffner & Marx, the largest of the clothing manufacturers, which will result in 10,000 employes returning to work within the next ten days.

It was predicted the restoration of peace between the union and Hart Schaffner & Marx will soon mean the speedy settlement of strike difficulties between the union and the smaller shops and end the long contest.

All grievances will be adjudicated by an arbitration committee

CALIFORNIA HAS BETTER GRIP ON THE EXPOSITION

Concise, Sound, Common-Sense Arguments of Representatives of State Gain Instant Recognition at Capital

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said it was held in winter when school children could not attend and when business men would not dream of taking a vacation. He declared that if it were held in summer some other people would not brave the mosquito, the swamps, bayous and the heat of New Orleans, but would seek the mountains and breathing spots of the country. He called attention to the further fact that within a radius of 350 miles of New Orleans half the population are negroes and as they are unthrifty and unintelligent they would not attend an exposition and prophesied that if another was held in the Crescent City it also would be a failure.

SOMBRE PICTURE.

In his speech Joseph Scott of Los Angeles paid a high tribute to the men of the South, particularly New Orleans. He dwelt on their warmheartedness and hospitality and concluded by saying that while they personally were entitled to the exposition, the city of New Orleans was not He pictured the sombre surroundings of New Orleans and told of the charm and beauty of California and the magnificent sights to be seen on a trip to the Golden State. He chided Governor Noel of Mississippi for his unkind remarks about a trip across the continen and said that he was surprised that the governor, who had traveled west amid the luxury of a Pullman car, had complained, when Noel's uncle had left his bones in the desert in an effort to reach the promised land on foot.

Congressman Knowland won instant recognition when he stated that he had succumbed to the soft and melodious voice of the southland and had taken one of Virginia's fair daughters to California and even she believed that the logical point was San Francisco.

KNOWLAND'S FIGURES.

Knowland told of the increased population on the Pacific coast. He showed that, according to census reports, Louisiana had increased 19.9 per cent in population, whereas California has increased 60.1, Washington 63.7, Oregon 62.7, and Nevada 93. Knowland claimed that at this ratio in another five years the center of population would undoubtedly be on the Pacific coast.

"The construction of this fair in San Francisco" declared McKinlay, "will be one of the great agencies to give to San Francisco, the State of California and all America that thing that we all desire, a commercial standing throughout the Asiatic land that will be of lasting benefit to our nation and our people."

McKinlay's speech was extremely interesting He showed a grasp of his subject and convinced his hearers that New Orleans would not be the gainer if it were awarded the exposition, as it had nothing to develop, whereas this country was looking for an increased trade with awakened China, Japan and India, and this could be brought about by holding the exposition in San Francisco, the city nearest to the Orient and the gateway to the future activity of the world.

The committee will sit again Monday Congressman Kahn and George A. Bartlett of Nevada will make addresses. Governor Sanders of Louisiana has been taking notes of all that has been said and will reply.

BURKE TRIAL REVEALS STORY OF IMMORALITY

Defense Uses Lu Etta Smith's Vagaries as Proof of Her Mental Unsoundness

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sought to indict the morals of the majority of the witnesses who took the stand, and the trial was not in progress long before the bulk of the testimony was unprintable.

DYNAMITING A TENT.

The prosecution has sought to connect Dr Burke with the dynamiting of the tent house occupied by Lu Etta Smith and her boy by showing that the patriarchial physician had gone to his Kanaka Peak mine in Butte county and secured a quantity of dynamite, explaining that he intended to use it to rid his grounds of some boulders. Dr Burke took instructions in handling the dynamite from Riley, the foreman of his mine, who showed him how to attach the fuse and explode it.

Meantime the attorneys of the physician produced in court a quantity of dynamite, the time labels on, which had been removed Through a brother of Dr Burke and other witnesses they have sought to show that Dr. Burke never used the dynamite he brought from the Kanaka Peak mine, but had consented to have it buried immediately after the explosion that wrecked the tent house of Lu Etta Smith.

CONTENTION OF DEFENSE.

The defense has maintained that Dr Burke allowed his brother to bury the dynamite so as to deflect the suspicion that he was in any way responsible for the explosion in the tent house

Dr. Burke's brother took the stand and told about burying the dynamite, and he adhered to this story in the face of the most searching cross-examination by the prosecution.

The prosecution introduced evidence to show that arsenic acid had been used by Dr Burke in dressing the wounds of Lu Etta Smith's after the explosion.

CHARGE OF POISONING.

District Attorney Lea made the outright statement in court that Burke had tried to poison the woman after being unsuccessful in dynamiting her

Dr Thomas Price, the analytical chemist of San Francisco, was among the witnesses who testified concerning this phase of the case. In three grains and 61 hundreds of a grain of the powder used in dressing the wounds, he said, he had found twenty-one hundreds of a grain of arsenic acid

The action of Lu Etta Smith has been strange and at times unfathomable since the trial. She has appeared in court with her infant son, and although the witnesses summoned by the prosecution have made out an extraordinary case against the doctor, she has frequently repeated that she still loves him

"If I knew that he did not place the dynamite in my tent," she said from the witness stand, "I could forgive him everything else."

EVIDENCE BARRED OUT.

The defense has gone to great pains to exploit the affairs of Lu Etta Smith with other men, but much of its evidence on this matter had been barred by Judge Seawell on the ground that it is immaterial to the matter at issue

The defense has been able to show, however, that Lu Etta Smith was at one time reported to be engaged to a Socialist named Fritch and had also believed that a professor at the University of California wanted to marry her Lu Etta Smith, it has also been established, entertained many esoteric beliefs She believed she could transmit a kiss over distance, it has been brought out, and that she could project her astral self to distant regions and make it recognizable to her friends.

The trial has been remarkable for disclosures about the condition of affairs that existed at the sanitarium of Dr. Burke.

DISSENSION IN FAMILY.

There was considerable dissension among the members of Dr Burke's family and the corps of physicians and nurses at the sanitarium Dr. A. W. White testified that Mrs. Aggie Burke, sister-in-law of the physician, ruled the place and had on one occasion beat him with her fists for differing with her over some point of its management. Mr Ell testified that at the time of the explosion he was in Berkeley, but that he went to Santa Rosa the following morning and hurried to the sanitarium grounds

Everything was in confusion there over the explosion he said, but Dr. Burke said it would not be necessary to communicate with Sheriff Smith, and kept referring to threats that Lu Etta Smith had made to do away with herself

Two Killed by Gas Explosion in Store

Police Believe There May Be Incendiaries in the Plot.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 15—Two men are believed to have been killed and a third probably fatally injured in an explosion of gas that wrecked the establishment of the Wayne and Friedman Furniture company in the business district of the city at 1.30 this morning Fire Chief Ecren was told by persons near the scene that two men were in front of the building when the explosion occurred

A second later the sidewalk was piled with the debris of the front wall, which was forced out by the force of the explosion. The men were not seen afterwards. The building is now burning fiercely and the firemen have been blocked in their efforts to find the bodies supposed to have been caught under the wreckage

OAKLANDER IS WED TO YOUNG GIRL TWO TIMES

Ceremony Performed in New Jersey by Court and Clergyman.

CALIFORNIA DIVORCE HELD TO BE INVALID

Bride and Bridegroom Leave After Ceremony for This City.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—After a courtship by mail which lasted three years, Henry Joseph Carey of Oakland, Cal., and Miss Octave M Gage of Newburgh, N. Y., were married twice in New Jersey today

Mr Carey is a wealthy real estate broker in Oakland. He is about forty years old This is his second marriage. He obtained a divorce in California some years ago.

Miss Gage is about 18 years old and with the exception of the one time she met Carey three years ago did not see him until she met him again ready for her marriage.

It was while he was East that Carey met Miss Gage at the home of a mutual friend in Newburgh He was renewing old acquaintances His tales of the beauty of California interested Miss Gage and when Mr. Carey left for the west again they corresponded.

ARE MARRIED TWICE.

As soon as his proposal by mail had been accepted, Carey hurried here but found that New York laws did not recognize his California divorce Friends proposed New Jersey as a solution.

Mr. Carey went to Weehawken and got a license. Then he and Miss Gage, accompanied by her brother, John, went before Recorder Ferrier of Weehawken, who performed the civil ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Carey then proceeded to Union Hill and there in the parsonage of St. John's Lutheran church they were again married by the Rev Dr. Herman Schappe. They left today for California.

READY FOR VISIT OF THE ARCHITECTS

A Full Program Has Been Arranged for the Opening Next Tuesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14—The convention of the American Institute of Architects opens at the Fairmont hotel Tuesday morning. Nearly all the delegates are in San Francisco except eastern members, coming on a special train from Chicago due tomorrow.

The executive committee of the San Francisco chapter of Architects, which will be host, has completed the program.

At 10 a. m Tuesday the convention will be opened with Irving K. Pond of Chicago president of the institute, in the chair At 12 "0 comes luncheon, followed by an automobile sightseeing trip.

From 8 to 11 p m an informal reception will be held in the ball room of the Fairmont.

Wednesday morning will be devoted to a business session and after luncheon a visit will be made to the University of California.

Thursday from 10 to 2 will be given to business sessions. At 7 p m. the informal banquet, given by the San Francisco chapter will begin

Friday morning a tour of the bay is to be made On Mt Tamalpais a luncheon will be served A trip through Chinatown is planned for the evening.

At 10 a m Saturday the delegates leave by special train for Stanford University, departing in the evening for Los Angeles.

The executive and finance committee is composed of James W. Reid, William Mooser, George H. McDougall, Albert Pissis and Sylvain Schnaittacher, secretary

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VICTOR A. MAGNIN, MERCHANT, IS DEAD

Member of San Francisco Firm Dies After a Long Illness.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 14 — Victor A. Magnin, son of the late I Magnin, founder of the well known local firm of merchants of that name and a member of the firm, died in New York at 1 o'clock this morning from nervous trouble which has extented over two years. Victor A Magnin was well known in San Francisco, where for the past fifteen years he had been engaged in business with his father and later with his brothers. He was born in London thirty-seven years ago, was unmarried and is survived his mother, four brothers—Manuel, Samuel, Joseph and Grover— and three sisters—Mrs. Louis Gassner, wife of a San Francisco furrier; Mrs. Stephen S Rau of San Francisco and Mrs. M. Siegel of Los Angeles

For the past two years Victor Magnin had been traveling in Europe and his brother Manuel in New York at the death of Samuel and Grover in New York will be held Thursday at the store of I. Magnin in honor of the firm.

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SHORT TOE NAILS IMPLY HEN IS A GOOD EGG LAYER

BRISK SCRATCHING FOR FOOD SHOWS INDUSTRY

Poultry Experts Discuss the Hen of Today and Her Progenitors.

UP-TO-DATE PRODUCERS ARE VERY BUSY BIRDS

Plenty of Exercise Keeps the Chicken in Excellent Trim for Work.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 14.—"Chickens with short toenails are the best egg layers," said Professor J. E. Rice, poultry expert for Cornell University, addressing students of the agricultural college of the University of Missouri here yesterday.

"The chickens have short toe nails," he said, "by continual scratching for food, and a chicken that is constantly scratching for food is sure to be industrious."

The hen of the olden time, Professor Rice said, laid on an average only eighteen eggs a year, while the modern hen of pure breed will lay from one to one hundred eggs annually.

PROFESSOR JAFFA AGREES.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—That the short-toed hen lays the most eggs is the theory in which Professor Meyer Jaffa of the University of California, state food inspector, agrees with Professor J. E. Rice, poultry expert in Cornell University.

Just as the man who scratches hardest—wearing off his finger nails—and some times his fingers—makes the most dollars, so does the hen that scratches most assiduously, shortening her toes in the protest, produce the most eggs.

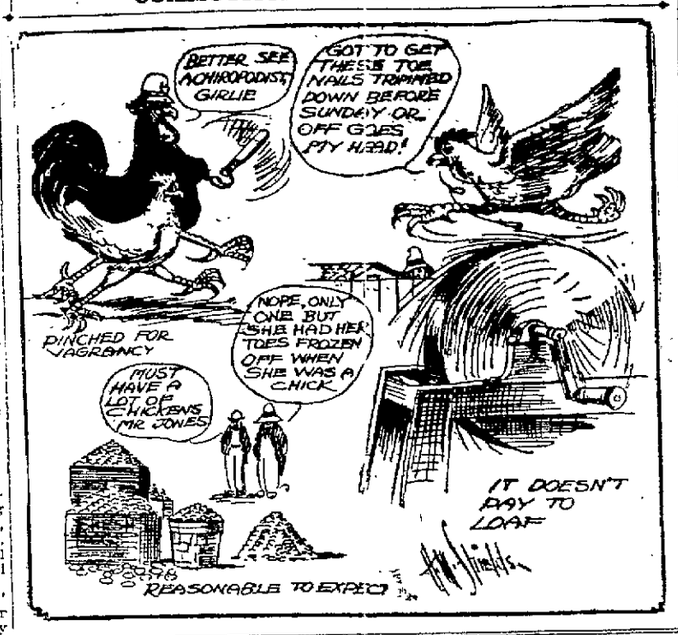
"Professor Rice generally knows what he is talking about," said Professor Jaffa today, "and if he is quoted directly, I would back on it that this story is straight. There is no better poultry expert in the country than Professor Rice.

"Activity certainly is the thing. Plenty of exercise keeps the hen in good health and spirits and increases laying. Up at the university farm at Davis provision is made for plenty of room for scratching.

THE MODERN HEN.

"The modern hen lays the most eggs, just as Professor Rice has said, or is quoted as saying. Time was when a hen was permitted to knock off work for the year after laying a dozen eggs. But the hen is improved as a layer through modern care and improved methods of poultry raising. Witness the modern cow which gives many more gallons of milk than did her sister of a few decades ago. It is a matter of selection and breeding with both hens and cows."

COMMOTION IN THE BARNYARD.


BETTER SEE PODIATRIST, GIRLIE
GOT TO GET THESE TOE NAILS TRIMMED DOWN BEFORE SUNDAY OR OFF GOES MY HEAD!
NOPE, ONLY ONE BUT SHE HAD HER TOES FROZEN OFF WHEN SHE WAS A CHICK
PINCHED FOR VAGRANCY
MUST HAVE A LOT OF CHICKENS MR JONES
IT DOESN'T PAY TO LOAF
REASONABLE TO EXPECT

CORONER'S JURY BAFFLED BY CASE

Death of Chico Womar Is Said to Be Due to Unknown Causes.

CHICO, Jan. 14.—An inquest to determine the cause of Mrs. William Whiteline's death in Chico the night of December 22 was conducted here today by Coroner John Wallace. The jury returned a verdict of "death from unknown cause." Several witnesses who know about the finding of the woman and her daughter, Lovel Corey, unconscious on the floor of their home and of the subsequent death of Mrs. Whiteline, supposedly from the effects of poison, testified.

When Mrs. Corey was asked concerning the size of the estate left her by her father, J. E. Corey, who died in Alameda last summer, Whiteline entered a hurried objection, saying that it could have no bearing on the case.

SAID ESTATE WAS SMALL.

She said the estate amounted to only $250. Whiteline, whom she had appointed administrator, told her that was the value, she said.

At the time of Corey's death it was stated that the estate amounted to $1,500, and since then it is said to have been learned that it is worth several thousand dollars.

William Whiteline and Charles Robinson, nephew of the dead woman, testified that she used morphine to a considerable extent and Robinson expressed the belief that she had died from an overdose of morphine. Both men, Lovel Corey, Mrs. M. E. Houk, a neighbor and Mrs. Joseph H. Pegden, a niece of Mrs. Whiteline, swore the woman had told them she took morphine tablets regularly under direction of Dr. J. Ellis Rodley. Rodley declared positively that he never prescribed morphine for her and that he had used it on her only once, and then to perform an operation. Robinson and Mrs. Pegden said they heard Rodley had taken a box of morphine tablets from the house the day of Mrs. Whiteline's death.

NO TRACE OF POISON.

Drs. H. E. Rodley and J. Ellis Rodley, who performed the autopsy and analyzed the contents of the stomach, said there was no trace of poison found. Both refused to express an opinion as to the cause of death. Dr. N. F. Enloe, who also was called in the case, said positively that Mrs. Whiteline had died from exhaustion following the swallowing of poison. The poison had worked out of the system, he declared, but he was too weak to recover. The Rodleys admitted that poison might have been taken.

Mrs. Mary Butts, spiritualist, testified that Mrs. Whiteline was greatly worried over missing papers that had to do with the Corey estate and that Mrs. Whiteline asked her concerning them.

CRUISERS TEST COAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The cruisers Maryland and West Virginia will leave for a twenty-four hours' cruise at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. Representatives of the different coal companies will be on board to watch the experiments in fuel burning to be conducted.

COUNTY HOME RULE IS SOUGHT BY MEASURE

The State Officials in Conference Over Provisions of Bill to Be Introduced.

FIRST SUGGESTED BY F. S. STRATTON IN 1879

Would Give People Right to Decide On the Officers and Their Salaries.

(Special Dispatch to THE TRIBUNE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—"County Home Rule" is to be the designation of a bill which shortly will be introduced in the legislature, the features of which were discussed this afternoon by State Treasurer Williams, Controller Nye, Senators Bell and Hewitt and Assemblymen Kehoe, Chandler and Benedict. The two assemblymen last mentioned were empowered to complete the bill in accordance with ideas selected from these measures on collateral subjects, which were under consideration.

The idea of county home government was introduced in the legislature in 1879 by then Senator Fred S. Stratton of Oakland, now collector of the port of San Francisco. It was in the shape of an amendment to the constitution, but was voted down by the people.

It proposed that while the state would continue to make general laws governing all counties, the people of each county could elect as to whether or not they would govern their own county, determining how many official places there would have, the salaries for the same, the number of attaches and whether or not they would consolidate the offices then in existence.

Such is the purpose of the proposed bill, new features of it being suggested by a bill by Senator Caminetti on what he calls a "county charter," and one by Controller Nye, suggesting features not contained in either the Caminetti or the Stratton measure. The scheme contemplates a board of freeholders, the formation of a charter and the ratification of the same by the people.

The supervisors are to call the elections, under certain conditions, but outside of looking after the physical and legislative work of the county, the official departments are to be governed by the county law or charter instead of, as has heretofore been the case, having the salaries and number of attaches determined by the legislature in many changes of the county government act.

Owners Transport Autos by Steamer

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Tourists from all parts of the state are beginning to utilize the Pacific Navigation Company's steamers for the transportation of automobiles. When the Harvard arrived this morning there were four machines aboard brought by their owners. Instead of having the machines placed aboard by derricks, with the attending chance of having them damaged by rough handling, the autos are run aboard by their own power just before sailing and taken off before any of the freight or baggage, thus permitting their owners to leave the dock in their own machines.

Among those who came up with their machines today was H. T. Tourling, a Los Angeles capitalist.

There were 155 passengers on the trip up, among whom were E. L. Lomax of the Western Pacific Railroad Company, who made a round trip to investigate business by courtesy of the company; Captain McAllep of the schooner Endeavor, on a flying visit to his owners. McAllep returned on the Harvard in the forenoon. Among the 125 passengers going south in the afternoon was J. F. Nolan, a well-known local shoe man.

Thirty-nine Times Fails to Take Life

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Thirty-nine times has Kate Powers attempted to end her earthly existence with chloroform and thirty-nine times has she failed. Whenever she feels blue and despondent, or cold and hungry, Kate Powers takes a drink of chloroform, thinking to end it all. But she never takes enough, as each time the doctors at the public hospitals make her live. Emergency hospital tonight, given treatment and revived. She was found in a house on Eddy street.

COUGHS UP PEARLS.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 14.—J. R. Thompson, a retired business man of Clifton Springs, N. Y., choked while eating oysters at a Pittsburg hotel today. It required the services of a waiter to restore him to his normal self. Then he coughed into his napkin and was surprised to find twelve pearls, from the size of a pea to a shot. He believed he swallowed others. At least five of the pearls are said to be valuable.

NO FINGER PRINTS OF RESPOLD ARE PERMITTED

Perfumed Burglar's Attorney Balks Efforts of the Police.

WAS ALREADY ON WAY TO BE EXAMINED

Lawyer Will Not Allow Any Measurements Even to Be Taken.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—The efforts of the San Francisco police to confirm through comparison of finger prints the theory that Herbert Repsold, the perfumed burglar, is connected with certain burglaries in that city was blocked today by the prisoner's attorney, S. Luke Howe.

The "gentleman burglar" was already handcuffed, in charge of the detectives, waiting to be conveyed to the Sacramento county jail, when Howe appeared on the scene and protested against the taking of finger prints of Repsold. Chief Ahern then ordered Repsold be re-conducted to his cell in the city jail.

Howe declares that he will permit no prints of Repsold's fingers to be taken prior to a conviction. Repsold will appear in court Monday, when the date of his trial will be set.

WOMAN ACCOMPLICE.

That Repsold had a female accomplice in his Oakland burglaries is a statement made to Detective James A. Drew by a man in Sacramento, who claims to know whereof he speaks.

Drew returned to Oakland from Sacramento yesterday after spending several days there endeavoring to locate the property stolen from Oakland homes. He declines to say who his informant was, nor is he assured of the value of the information, as the informant only said he would place his evidence before the police within a few days.

However, Captain of Detectives Petersen is not at all anxious for the information as he says he could not make any move against an accomplice without having the custody of Repsold himself. So nothing is being done along this line.

EXONERATES GIRL.

Detective Drew says he is convinced that Marguerite Schuler, the Sacramento girl who was reported as engaged to Repsold, knew nothing of his criminal career. According to Drew, the girl denied the engagement, although admitting that she was very friendly with him, giving Drew the name and address of an Oakland man to whom she says she is engaged.

The Sacramento authorities not only refused to surrender Repsold to the Oakland police, but would not allow Drew to bring back the stolen property that was positively identified as having been stolen in Oakland.

LETTERS POUR IN REGARDING LIQUOR

Bill for Local Option Results in Deluge of Epistles for Legislature.

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SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—The introduction of the bills providing for local option has set in motion an epistolary lobby the like of which has never been seen.

Members of both houses are being deluged with letters from those who would see the state committed to prohibition and by those who want no legislation on the subject.

So far the greater number of letters has come from people interested in or engaged in the wine-making industry, and from great centers of the winery interests, such as Napa, Sonoma Mendocino and Sacramento counties. These letters remind the legislators of the vast amount of money invested in the wine industry, its importance in the wealth of the state and the loss which would result if the wineries are permitted to be voted out of existence.

The hop interests are also taking a hand in the measure and are sending letters pleading for the defeat of the proposed legislation.

ACCIDENT RETURNS SHIP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The steam schooner Arctic, Captain Lander, which sailed for Fort Bragg this morning, turned back and made port again in the afternoon on account of the blowing out of a boiler gasket.

CHILDREN OF RICH ARE VICTIMS OF FEVER

New York's "400" In Panic Due to Epidemic of Severe Illness.

FAMILIES ARE VACATING THEIR PALATIAL HOMES

Waiter Serving at Recent Social Function Spreads Disease Among Wealthy.

(By MARGARET WATTS DE PEYSTER.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—There is concern almost approaching a panic in the ranks of New York's "400," due to an epidemic of scarlet fever, which has claimed as its victims children of the rich. Further than this the epidemic, which is not the first of its kind, has added impetus to the movement which is driving the very rich to seek homes outside of the city.

It is predicted, in fact, that it will not be long before practically all the old New York multi-millionaires will have practically given up their New York homes and will live permanently up the Hudson, on Long Island, or at nearby New Jersey or Connecticut points, where there is less danger of infection from disagreeable diseases.

WAITER STARTS EPIDEMIC.

The Goulds, the Vanderbilts, the Mackays and scores of very wealthy New York families, leaders in society, have already forsaken the city as a place of permanent residence and others are preparing to do so.

It has been discovered that the present epidemic is due to the presence at a recent social function, of a waiter who had been in contact with the disease. Among those who have fallen victims thus far are Miss Viara Fargo, Miss Beatrice Fagg, Miss Virginia Murday, Miss Leonie Burrell, Miss Katherine Fiske, Mrs. Herbert Shipman, Miss Gerald Collins, Miss Barton Franch and George Wagstaff.

The fever is of a mild type and none of the cases is considered dangerous. The opinion among society people, however, is that social functions in New York where waiters from the congested East Side are employed, are always dangerous.

WILSON ON STUMP FIGHTING SMITH

New Jersey Governor-Elect Bitterly Arraigns Candidate for United States Senate.

NEWARK, N. J., Jan. 14.—Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson, who is a strong candidate for the Democratic nomination for President, in his speech-making tour tonight invaded the territory of James Smith, Jr., candidate for United States senator, and discussed national issues. Governor-elect Wilson is making a thorough canvass of the state against Smith. Wilson said the question now raised in the campaign was whether the will of the people as expressed in the primary was binding.

QUESTION OF CONSTITUTIONALITY.

"Senator Smith's friends and individuals in many quarters," he said, "have raised, in connection with this and similar controversies elsewhere, the question of the constitutionality of the government's so-called interference in a case of this sort. They are allowing themselves to be confused in their thinking. It is not the constitution of the state they are thinking of.

"Under the present constitution it is constitutional for a small group of men to choose a senator and force him upon the nominal representatives of the people with an absolute control which they permit no one to question or resist.

DESERVES SUPPORT.

"Anyone who acts unconstitutionally under that system of politics deserves the support of all lovers of free government. It should be as avowed object to smash that constitution utterly."

The speaker did not fear public harm from turning the light of publicity through the press and from the platform on public matters.

PEOPLE'S GOVERNMENT.

"A people's government," he said, "means a public government, an honest government, government by discussion and not by arrangement—a government in which all parties play for the same things. There has been a great deal of talk about muckraking and sensationalism in our magazines and journals, and no doubt a great deal that was exaggerated. But any sensationalism that we have called 'muckraking' only amounted to uncovering of wrongs. The things hidden had to do with the methods by which the people were privately informed and deceived. In most cases the result of the exposure has been something that proved to the benefit of the people, a rectification of things wrong."

RAKER'S ELECTION TO BE CONTESTED

Copies of Papers Putting Him in Congress Are Asked by "Contestor."

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—Somebody up in the First Congressional district is evidently going to make trouble for John E. Raker, the only Democratic member of California's Congressional delegation.

Raker beat Englebright, a Republican, by the narrow margin of 134 votes, and now comes Giles Harris Pearre, signing himself "contestor," in a letter to Secretary of State Jordan, asking if a certificate has been issued to Raker and demanding certified copies of all papers relating to his election.

Pearre is a mine geologist and assayer of Sonora.

WEIGHED 450 AND PROUD OF IT.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 14.—The fattest barber in the United States died recently of apoplexy. He was Samuel Harvey of Carnegie. He weighed 410 pounds and was proud of it. He also took pride in being a friend of Honus Wagner, the ball player, who was his neighbor.

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SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14. — With every institution in the State demanding large sums for new buildings, repairs and improvements, Monterey asking $60,000 to build a breakwater and nearly every member on record with appropriation measures reaching an aggregate of almost $30,000,000, the administration has given notice that the bill must be put on these appropriation measures and there must be a systematic pruning all along the line.

Last year the State expenditures were over $17,000,000, and that represented an increase of 92 per cent over the figures for 1900-1901 ten years ago.

This year the appropriation asked for a total of more than $17,000,000, without any allowance for schools, the University of California, the sinking fund and highways, for which Controller Nye estimates that at least $9,352,992 will be needed; so that the total is more than $26,000,000.

The administration considers these figures entirely too high, and to the Assembly committee on ways and means, of which Cogswell of Los Angeles is chairman, will be given the task of shaving the appropriation measures down to the actual necessities.

The Railroad Commission bill, which is the Governor's pet measure, calls for an appropriation of $100,000, and money is needed for carrying out some of the other reforms proposed by the administration, so there will have to be a careful trimming of appropriation bills to keep the expenditures down.

GUGGENHEIMS TO HEAD BIG MERGER

Combined Companies to Represent Vast Interests and Control Big Output.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The resignation of Leopold Friederich, manager of the foreign exchange department of the National Bank, to take charge of the foreign banking business of the Guggenheim Company, is part of the plan for the extension of the foreign business of the American Smelting and Refining Company and the consolidation under one head of the exporting and importing business of the various corporations, the principals of which are the American Smelting and Refining Company, the American Smelters' Securities Company, the American Smelters' Steamship Company, the Guggenheim Exploration Company, the United Lead Company, the United Zinc Company, the Esperanza Mining Company, the Mexican Union Railway, the Nevada-Northern Railway, the New River Collieries Company, the Pine Products Company, the Utah Copper Company, Nevada Consolidated Company, the International Steam Pump Company and the Power and Mining Machinery Company.

These companies represent an enormous capitalization and control a large percentage of the copper, lead and silver mining business of the country. This business has grown to such an extent that it controls a large percentage of the foreign trade in the United States.

It must occasionally annoy a sincere insurgent to find wicked Democrats trying to profit by his endeavors.—Washington Post.

THORNS FOUND IN DEMOCRATIC ROSE

Lively Scrap Ahead in Making Up the Various House Committees.

(By RALPH M. WHITESIDE.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Democratic congressional leaders are finding that the Democratic majority rose is not without thorns.

After much discussion, the leaders had just about straightened out the membership in the next ways and means committee to their satisfaction in a manner which they are confident will meet with the approval of the caucus which is to be held next week when the announcement was made that the new leaders of the house in the Sixty-second congress proposed to make a fight for good representation, not only in the membership of committees, but in the way of chairmanships as well.

They point out that the seniority rule in making up the committees may be all right under ordinary circumstances, but they do not propose to let all the good things go to men who have been fortunate enough to be in congress for several years.

They point out that almost half the Democratic membership in the next house are new men. Many of these new members will size up in ability and experience with a majority of the old members and hence they must be considered in the committee assignments, even to the extent of pulling down a few old chairmanships.

Friends of Speaker-to-be Clark are inclined to congratulate on that he will not have to face any difficulties.

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Legislators Face Hard Work Monday

VACCINATION LAW TO BE FOUGHT AT CAPITAL

George Gelder of Oakland in Sacramento to Work for Repeal.

LEAGUE CLAIMS TO HAVE MANY CONVERTS

Hundreds of Deaths Laid to the So-Called Smallpox Preventive.

(Special to The Tribune)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—George Gelder of Oakland, the representative of the Anti-Compulsory Vaccination League of that city, has arrived as the advance guard of that organization, which will make another attempt to repeal the law which now requires children to be vaccinated before being allowed to attend the public schools.

The league has branches all over the state and is increasing in numbers. In several of the past sessions of the legislature it has made stubborn fights against the present vaccination enactment, on the ground that it had caused irreparable injury and sometimes death in thousands of cases all over the world.

The organization counts among its members not merely laymen, but also physicians, and it is said that in a petition which is soon to be presented to the legislature, there are the signatures of at least fifty medical men.

VETOED REPEAL.

At one of the legislative sessions, while Governor Pardee was in the executive chair, the vaccination bill was repealed by both houses, but when the repealed measure went to the governor it was vetoed on the ground that "medical science had demonstrated, by years of success in the preventing of small pox by vaccination that it would not be right to remove from the children of the public schools the protection which vaccination affords."

The Anti-Compulsory Vaccination League of Oakland and vinicity, said to contain several hundred members many of whom are men and women of prominence. Some of those have espoused the anti-vaccination idea because of conviction that the practice of vaccinating is dangerous, and others because they have seen cases of incurable diseases and even death result from that practice.

LEAVITT A WORKER.

At the session of the legislature at which the repeal of the present law was prevented by Governor Pardee one of the most forcible and energetic workers for the repeal was the then Senator Leavitt of Oakland. Among the members of the committee from the club in Oakland and vicinity who are to appear here in advocacy of the repeal are Hugh Craig of Piedmont J. G. Wright of Berkeley, Samuel L. Taylor, J. W. Hulin, Wilber Walker, Friend W. Richardson and others.

The repealing measure is to the point, as folows:

"Section 1. That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any board of health, board of education, or any other public board acting in this state under police regulation, or otherwise, to compel by resolution, order or proceedings of any kind, the vaccination of any child or person as a prerequisite for admission to or attendance upon or receiving the benefit from any public or private school in the state of California."

PASTOR CONVERTED TO CRUSADE ON JAPANESE

Rev. C. R. Brown Declared to Have Taken Arms Against Brown Men.

SECRETARY GATES TELLS OF CHANGE OF MIND

Visit to Home of Nipponese Gave a New Aspect to the Situation.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—"Rev. C. R. Brown, formerly pastor of the First Congregational Church of Oakland, became a convert, before he left for the east to the idea that the Japanese should be excluded from this country."

This is the statement made by Secretary Gates of the State Board of Charities and Corrections, one of the members of which is the venerable Rev. Dr. J. K. McLean, the predecessor of Rev. C. R. Brown in the pulpit of the First Congregational church in Oakland, and recently resigned as president of the Pacific Theological Seminary in Berkeley. Secretary Gates is also a resident of Berkeley.

"He was not always of that opinion," continued Secretary Gates. "I recall the time, when he believed that the Japanese should be allowed to come to this country and so expressed himself.

VACATION IN ORIENT.

"But his last vacation was spent in the Orient and in a special manner in Japan. While there, he received distinguished consideration, having been, for a time, the guest of the president of one of the largest universities in Tokyo.

"While in that country, he had an opportunity to study the Japanese, their method of living and various other peculiarities and he finally concluded that if they were not excluded they would overrun this country.

"I learned first that the doctor was in favor of admitting the Japanese to this country, at a gathering near Santa Cruz where I had delivered an address in which I spoke in favor of the exclusion of the Japanese.

VIEWS DIFFER.

"Dr. Brown was present and his views differed from mine on the subject and I was told that he might take the platform to controvert my views, but he did not.

"Shortly after the doctor's return from Japan, he spoke in Plymouth church, Oakland, and there gave expression to the opinion that the Japanese should be excluded from this city. He did not, of course, include the merchants, and professional men and students, because they are permitted to come and go but the laboring class who can live so much cheaper than our own laborers can and who eventually would. Those views were never published in the papers."

CHANGES NOTED AT LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Little Lobbying Done as Was the Custom in Years Gone by.

REAL WORK BEGINS MONDAY MORNING

Record for Rush of Bills May Be Set by the Present Body.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14. — The Legislature has just closed its second week. During the last few days some of the committees in both houses have been holding meetings, but the earnest work will not begin until Monday. No afternoon sessions were held for the last three days, the time being required by the officers and the chairman of the several committees to get their books and quarters in readiness for the coming work of legislation.

Features which have long characterized legislatures in this State are missing at this session. The lobbies are no more crowded with people killing time, seeking positions and making a noise which frequently interfered with the business on the floor. There is none of the old feverish rush and bustle. Everything seems to be quiet and prosaic, and yet progress is made in a satisfactory manner.

A radical change has come over the scene in the lobby of the Assembly. Heretofore, on an average, half a doen times a day, the speaker was obliged to cause a member who was addressing the chair to cease until he could restore silence in the lobby. When silence had been restored, the presiding officer would announce that a repetition of the noise would be followed by the clearing of the lobby.

LOBBY CLEARED.

Now, nobody save the members are allowed in the lobby, since on the first day of the session, Speaker Hewitt stated that there was a rule against anybody save members and ex-members and the press being on the floor during the session and that that rule would be enforced so long as it remained in manual.

Therefore the lobby was cleared, the throng climbing to the gallery and a watchman being placed at the door to exclude every person save those entitled to admission, the accredited members of the press being included.

With the throng went the button-holers and the babel and as a consequence, silence prevades the chamber and the assemblymen whose seats are near the lobby can now hear themselves talk and listen to their brothers when they are talking.

While a similar rule is to be found in the Senate manual, President Wallace of the Senate has not cleared the lobby of that body but, at the same time, no annoyance is caused the members by the few who care to stand there.

PROPHETS DISAPPOINTED.

The session has not realized the expectation of some of the prophets in the number of bills introduced. It was thought that, in view of the attention which had been given to what was styled reformatory subjects, there would be a rush of bills along that line, over and above the main subjects of reform, viz: the primary law, the liability of the employer, the conservation of water and forest, the settlement of railroad disputes, etc. But the rush has not been experienced, although the number of bills is not very far below that which was introduced in both houses at the last session.

At the session of 1909 and at the present session, in both houses, there were introduced during the first twelve days of each, bills, constitutional amendments, concurrent resolutions and Senate and House joint resolutions, as follows:

1909—Senate: Bills, 447; constitutional amendments, 24; concurrent resolutions, 1; joint resolutions, 6. Assembly: Bills, 56; constitutional amendment, 14; concurrent resolutions, 2; joint resolutions, 2.

1911—Senate: Bills, 344; constitutional amendments, 24; concurrent resolutions, 1; joint resolutions, 6. Assembly: Bills 562; constitutional amendments, 14; concurrent resolutions, 2; joint resolutions, 2.

TOTAL FOR YEAR.

This gives a total for this year of 790 bills, 36 constitutional amendments, 12 concurrent resolutions and 5 joint resolutions, as against 1009 bills, 36 constitutional amendments, 3 concurrent resolutions and 8 joint resolutions for the session of 1909. As a consequence, the session of 1909 leads the present one by 219 bills, and in the total of all instruments filed by 155.

There are 28 days yet in which new bills may be introduced, because under the rules the members have until the 40th day of the session for that purpose, usually when that limit has almost been reached there is a rush of bills to the desk and this session may yet get the record, although in so doing it will have to beat that of two years ago, when the Senate considered 154 and the assembly 2451 bills.

WORK IN SIGHT.

There will be ample work for the members of all the leading committees and, in a special manner the committees on Judiciary and ways and means in the Assembly and the judiciary committee in the Senate. In the lower house, there are at the present time before several of the committees bills as follows:

Education, Wyllie chairman, 14; Fish and Game, Griffiths chairman, 13; Public Buildings and Grounds, 22; Judiciary, Kehoe chairman, 5, and Ways and Means, Cogswell chairman, 81.

In the Senate the committees which have at the present time most work laid out for them, with a great deal more to follow, are those on Education, Strobridge chairman, 17 bills; Hospitals and Asylums, Rush chairman, 66; Prisons and Reformatories, 25; Public Buildings and Grounds, 27, and Judiciary, Stetson chairman, $120.

HEBREW HOME ELECTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—At the annual meeting of the members of the Hebrew Home for the Aged and Disabled the following directors were elected to serve for the ensuing term: Samuel Polack, Joseph Hyman, Mrs. M. Kaskell, Miss Amelia Levy, L. A. Schwabacher, A. M. Bender, I. Moss, Emilie Levy and Emile E. Kahn.

FINED FOR SELLING LIQUOR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Kate Castle, proprietress of a grocery store at 246 Elsie street, was fined $100 in police court today for selling liquor without a license. Ah Toon, a Chinese, was fined $100 for having cocaine in his possession.

BROOKINS PLANS TO GIVE HIS SPIRAL GLIDE TODAY

Aviator Wright Says He'll Do the Volplane On First Change.

DARING BIRDMAN IS UNSHAKEN BY TRAGEDIES

All the Men Tied Up by Rains Anxious to Go After Records.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—"I expect to do the spiral glide at Tanforan before this aviation meeting is over," said Walter C. Brookins, the star performer of the Wright camp, yesterday.

"No," he continued, in answer to a question, "I don't think the deaths of John B. Moissant and Arch Hoxsey have taken the heart out of aviators.

"Their deaths affected all of us for a time, of course, but the effect is wearing off.

"In a short time you will be seeing more daring things in the air than were accomplished by either Moissant or Hoxsey.

"Moissant simply courted death by his recklessness. When I saw him flying at Belmont Park I made the prediction that he wouldn't live six months if he continued to fly.

"There's a difference between courage and recklessness in the air, of course. A more courageous man than Moissant never sat in the saddle of an aeroplane, but he was altogether too reckless.

AIRMEN AWAITING CHANCE.

"The aviators at this meeting haven't yet been given a chance to show what can be accomplished with their machines. They are waiting for his chance and the first fine day that comes along will see remarkable flying.

"The spiral glide has not been abandoned by any means, and I am ready to do it tomorrow if the weather is favorable."

If the sun dawns today and the conditions are favorable there is to be more flying at Tanforan.

The aviation committee issued no formal announcement yesterday declaring that the weather was too uncertain to permit any specific statement.

The white pennants from the roofs of the downtown skyscrapers will tell the story today if there is to be no flying. If no pennants are displayed it will mean that the birdmen will perform.

GET MILLIONAIRE'S MACHINE.

Hubert Latham, the French aviator, whose handsome Antionette machine was wrecked on a barbed-wire fense last week, expects to be in position to fly again by Tuesday.

Latham is to use another Antionette owner by Harry Harkness son of a Standard Oil millionaire which is now en route from New York to Pasadena.

Arrangements have been made to intercept the machine at Barstow and transship it direct to Latham in this city.

DEATH CLAIMS AN AGED WOMAN

The Decomposed Body of County Charge Found Lying On the Kitchen Floor.

Lying outstretched on the floor of her kitchen in a little flat at 515½ Sixth street, Margherita Genasci, an aged woman, was found dead yesterday afternoon by J. McMahon of 515 Sixth street. Indications pointed to death having resulted from a hemorrhage, and it was apparent that the attack had come about several days ago, for decomposition had already set in.

The woman was about 75 years of age, and, according to neighbors, was feeble-minded. She lived alone, having rented the three-room flat about four months ago. Receipts for supplies showed that she had been supported in part by the county.

Nothing is known of the woman's antecedents, but it is believed that she has a relative in San Francisco. Tax bills were found showing that she had property of small value in the Peralta homestead.

The body was removed to the morgue, where an inquest will be held.

Berkeley Society

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—A coterie of the younger set of the bay cities have organized themselves into a winter skating club. The pretty spot keeping its vogue among fashionable devotees. Many of the high graceful skaters and some experts in the art, every two weeks in the Iris known as the Thursday the members are Mrs. G. Stanley Walton, Mrs. Edwin Reis, Miss Phoebe Mellrath, Miss Clarissa Coogan, Vaughn Cooley, Benjamin Reed, Dr. John Force, Mrs. Charles S. Stoppani and sister, Miss Alice Morley established in Paris Stoppani and Miss Henry are to the study of music and are planning to remain abroad mapped out some delightful to their study courses. The little party left California late in the summer. Both Mrs. Stoppani and Miss Henry were extensively feted before their departure. Miss Stoppani is the prettiest known in local musical circles and frequently lent her voice to club programs, both across the bay and here.

One of the most delightful social affairs recently held at the Shattuck Hotel was the reunion of members and relatives of the Squires family, who were made the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Naylor at a dinner party and afterwards entertained at the home of their hosts on Durant avenue. Before leaving the hotel, where the banquet was enjoyed, the company was grouped on the verandas and photographed.

Those present were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Naylor	Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wiggin
Linden Naylor	Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knox
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Squires	Elliot Knox
Ellwood Squires	Mr. and Mrs. John M. Foy
Eleanor Squires	J. Macy Foy
Mrs. M. E. Lucy	Frederick Calvert Foy
Miss C. Anderson	Mr. and Mrs. Lou Squires
Mr. and Mrs. John Squires	Miss Lucia Squires
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Squires	Harry J. Squires
Miss Mildred Squires	Dorothy Squires
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wiggin	Helen Squires
Marjorie Wiggin	

Sacramento Sleeper

Hereafter on the fast Sacramento train which leaves Oakland pier at 2:49 a. m. daily, there will be a sleeper at the pier at 9 p. m. the evening before so that passengers wishing to remain in Oakland or San Francisco after 9:30 p. m. can use this sleeper, arriving in Sacramento at 7:15 a. m. This train runs via Niles, Livermore and Stockton. For further information see Southern Pacific Company's agents.

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TWELFTH AT FRANKLIN

CLAREMONT IS OIL TRADING FEATURE

Lively Session of Board Marks the Close of the Week's Operations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—This week's trading in oil securities ended with a lively session this morning. Claremont was the feature, being heavily traded in at $1.05. Palmer Union was in good demand at 65 cents as was Associated at $46.87½ and Wolverine at 45 cents. It is reported here that the Coalinga Lakeview Company had struck oil in the Kettleman Hills.

The report has it that the strike showed oil of a very light gravity. Owing to the lateness of the hour when the report was received here the news of the strike could not be verified. When the last information was received the company was drilling through the cement and it is believed oil has been found.

FILE ANSWER TO SUIT.

Alleging that the four quarters of section 26, 11-20 were vacant land prior to January 1, 1908, by virtue of the placer mining claims having been abandoned prior to that time through failure of the locators to do the required annual labor, F. B. Gable, Frank McSmith, H. L. McNair, of the San Emidio Oil Company; T. E. Dabion, O. W. Little, E. P. Tucker, K. C. Lane and N. E. Mayhew, drillers and contractors, have filed their answer to the complaint of W. S. Tevis, who has entered suit to recover possession of land.

The defendants trace their claim to the land from January 1, 1908, when Wilmer Black entered on what was then alleged to be public domain. Several transfers were made when F. B. Gabe came into possession, after which the oil company was organized. It is alleged that $30,000 was spent on the property.

TITLE IS DISPUTED.

This suit is being watched closely by oil men as the land is a part of the famous San Emidio ranch and the title to it has been in dispute for several years. Tevis alleges a claim to it by virtue of having transferred an alleged title to some land that is claimed to have been a portion of United States forest reserve. A protest was filed by oil men and the hearing was set for June 14, 1910, at Los Angeles, but had been postponed.

The Santa Fe well on the bluffs, 2400 feet deep, which has been ruined by water, is to be cemented up and a new well will be drilled. It is contended that oil in paying quantities was developed, just as the same claim was made for the Midnight well on the adjoining section.

It is reported here that the Kern River Oil Fields Company of California, Ltd., which has 140 wells on the pump in the Kern river fields, is contemplating installing electric power for its pumps. Motors have been purchased and will be installed as soon as possible.

ELECTRIC LINE PROJECT.

Negotiations are in progress for an electric line from Bakersfield to Oil Center, a distance of about six miles. The exact route of the line is not known, but it is reported that the San Joaquin Light and Power Corporation, which owns the Bakersfield street railway and a large power line that is being built through the west side fields, has surveyed two lines, one of which will be selected.

One matter that is delaying the project is the difficulty encountered in securing the right of way through an addition north of Bakersfield. It is thought this will be secured in a few days and the work commenced. The traffic between Bakersfield and Oil Center is heavy now, there auto deliveries being run to accommodate the travelers.

Seaboard Air Line to Issue New Certificates

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The Seaboard Air Line is contemplating an issue of new securities in the near future for the purpose of refunding a $14,000,000 series of collateral trust 5 per cent bonds which mature next May.

STATE IS LIABLE FOR SEWER WORK

San Francisco City Attorney Holds That California Must Pay Share.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The city attorney has advised the Board of Public Works that the State of California stands in exactly the same position as any private property owner when it comes to the matter of levying assessments on real estate to pay for sewer work or other street improvements, the construction of which has benefited such realty. The necessity for the city attorney's advice on the question grew out of the fact that the proposed extension of the Beale-street sewer will pass in front of state property controlled by the Harbor Commission. The city attorney says:

"The State of California * * * must be considered as is any other property, and if it should appear that the state is the owner of property abutting on the inner half of the streets * * * then the state is liable for its proportion of street and sewer work, the same as any private property owner. * * * The foregoing applies to street and sewer work done in the ordinary way by assessment, but where the cost of construction is to be paid with money realized from the sale of bonds issued for that purpose, then the ownership by the state of lots and lands abutting on said streets would cut no figure for the obvious reason that where the cost of street and sewer work is to be paid for by a bond issue there is no assessment levied."

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Commencing January 7th to the 16th inclusive, Southern Pacific Company will run trains from Third and Townsend street depot daily at 9:30 a. m., 11:00 a. m., 12:30 p. m., 1:00 p. m., 1:30 p. m., 2:15 p. m., and in addition to above service extra trains will run between the hours of 9:30 a. m. and 2:15 p. m. to take care of the traffic from Third and Townsend streets. For further information see S. P. agents, Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda, from which offices excursion tickets will be sold to the Park and into the Park.

WEATHER DOES NOT STOP THEM

Constant Stream of Buyers Take Advantage of Offers.

Weather, time of year and all the obstacles supposed to prevent the sale of real estate have no effect so far as Rock Ridge is concerned. The property is selling more rapidly than ever, and its prospects are increasingly bright. Between the first and tenth of January fourteen lots were sold. Seven of these were bought by a contractor who will build six homes upon them. This firm, Cederborg & Anderson, has agreed to have two houses under construction at one time and to begin work at once. The residences will cost between $4000 and $6000, and will adjoin the southwest corner of Rock Ridge Place, on Broadway. They will be such attractive homes that they will determine the class of moderate-priced residences in Rock Ridge for all time.

Now that the roads in Rock Ridge are completed the sidewalk pavements as well as the beauty of the place attract hundreds of motorists to the lovely foothill property every Sunday. There was formerly no place to go from the Country Club except to drive for a moment in Claremont manor. Now there is a magnificent stretch of road after one passes through Claremont manor, for Rock Ridge opens its southern gates there and affords the motorist four miles of well-paved streets through a beautiful country.

Many people have also learned to go to Rock Ridge direct from the city, going out Broadway until they come to the Italian Renaissance entrance, and swinging into Rock Ridge Place at that point. The most popular spot with these motorists is the highest part of the property on Belleview Terrace, from which such a wonderful view of the bay and the surrounding cities is obtained. This is a panorama such as can be found from no other point about the bay, for Rock Ridge is directly opposite the Golden Gate.

From the upper property the park there is a beautiful outlook upon the lower property, Rock Ridge Place. One can look down on its paved streets which follow graceful lines; its lovely classic entrance flanked by parks; its palm bordered parkways and the expensive homes which are already dotting its slopes.

This week's buyers, aside from Cederborg & Anderson, are W. H. James, C. H. Manning, H. B. Lloyd, Quincy McBride, George Spencer, Nina M. Kerran and R. C. Anderson.

Socialist Drama to Be Produced Here

"The Broken Cog," a Socialist drama, will be presented by the Oakland Socialists at the hall at Twelfth and Webster streets, this afternoon. After the performance J. Stitt Wilson candidate for Governor on the Socialist ticket at the last election, will speak.

LEGISLATURE TO TAKE UP PUBLIC HEALTH MOVEMENT

Measures Are to Be Introduced Looking Toward Betterment of Methods Employed in State

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—As a result of the widening public health movement, several progressive measures will be introduced in the legislature the tendency of which will be to make the existing statutes more effective rather than to increase the authority of the state board of health. They are based upon recommendations from citizens and associations in all parts of the state interested in public health, including health officers in public welfare associations.

COUNTY HEALTH BOARD.

One of the most important of the proposed measures is that creating a county board of health, with a county sanitary inspector to have oversight of health and sanitary conditions outside of incorporated cities. This proposal is as vitally important to the cities as to the territory comprised within their jurisdiction.

As the cities draw their food supplies—meat, milk, vegetables, dairy products—from the country, they are primarily interested in health conditions beyond their boundaries, but under existing laws do not have the authority to require sanitary conditions that would otherwise be under effective control if there were a county board of health. The cities have to accomplish health work beyond their limits in an indirect way.

FIVE OFFICERS IN BOARD.

Under the proposed law the county board of health would be both supplementary and complementary in its work to that of the great cities. The details of the law are yet to be worked out but it is proposed to have the board comprise five officers whose duties bring them especially close to health work, as follows:

County health officer, chairman of board.

County superintendent of schools, who is in touch with many phases of health work, especially contagious diseases in the schools.

District attorney, who prosecutes pure food cases.

County recorder, who reports vital statistics.

County surveyor, who is acquainted with local topography, stream pollution, ownership of property, etc.

OTHER LEGISLATION.

Other legislation which the board of health has placed on record is favorable is as follows:

A law modifying the present acts relative to the pollution of streams so as to make the entire amount of its provisions practical by giving the board authority to interpret the law in certain cases, being guided by the expert reports of a sanitary engineering inspector and a sanitary chemist.

A law providing some active measures on the part of the state for the treatment of persons afflicted with tuberculosis. The California Woman's Club, the San Francisco Tuberculosis Association and the Southern California Tuberculosis Association all have plans to provide tuberculosis dispensaries or clinics as well as some system of state sanatoria.

VACCINATION LAW.

A law providing that school trustees be relieved as far as possible from the responsibility of enforcing vaccination in schools, and placing the responsibility with health officers; also requiring vaccination in private as well as public schools.

A law enabling infected localities to form districts to eradicate the anopheles or malaria bearing mosquito by drainage, the application of oil or other suitable methods.

A law providing that cases of measles, whooping cough, mumps and chicken pox be taken off the list of diseases that must be quarantined, and that they be made reportable only, unless an emergency demands quarantine.

A law designed to afford better sanitary conditions in public school buildings.

A law empowering the state board to establish branches of the state hygienic laboratory in various parts of the state so as it may be of the greatest practical use to the people.

The extreme importance of making an increased appreciation for the continuance and development of public health work also is urged, as California has many laws which are virtually dead letters because no funds are available for their enforcement.

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BANK IN MODESTO CHOOSES OFFICERS

Resignations and Deaths Are the Causes of a Few Changes

MODESTO Jan 14—The stockholders of the Modesto bank held their annual meeting today and elected officers but did not organize at this time The officers will probably be as follows R Frighton president and manager George A Cressey vice president W T Soon cashier H D K Young assistant cashier W T Soon has been acting cashier since the resignation recently of Cashier C D Swan to assume the presidency of the new National Bank of Modesto which will open under the management of eastern capitalists Several other slight changes are noted in the personnel of the bank The names of Charles F McCarthy F J Wisecarver and T W Shearer appearing as directors instead of Albert Shearer H C Tucker and C D Swan The directors for the Modesto bank are as follows A J Cressey F J McMahon L W Spears T J Wisecarver C J McCarthy George A Cressey and J R Broughton Director for the Modesto Savings Bank are the same with the exception that T J Perry's name is substituted for that of C F McCarthy

The Farmers and Merchants Bank and Security Savings Bank both institutions having the same officers as heretofore and re elected their staff to serve another year The boards of directors also remains the same with one exception Assemblyman T F Griffith was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of P B Fraser The following officers were elected W S High president I W Updike vice president W A Hatch cashier Calvin Cressy assistant cashier directors W R High I W Updike Hiram Pherson C M Moss I W Mitchell Jr Fred Bartch A J Shoemaker J W Parson and T F Griffin

The Democratic party cannot hold what has been tossed in its lap in spite of itself If it retains what has been tossed upon it it will have to exercise itself before it will have to do something but it will have to do the right thing or it will be swept back to the corner from which it was driven out—Portland Evening Tribune

DEBATE IS HELD ON ANNEXATION QUESTION

Young Forensic Artists Hold Oakland Should Be Independent

That Oakland should be annexed to San Francisco was the subject of a debate conducted by the students of the seventh grade of the Grant school last Friday afternoon The negative side which carried off the honors in the discussion was led by Harrison Ryker and Anita Howard The affirmative side was supported by Edward Leonard Scott Nottingham and Kirby Hunt The judges were Miss A W Potter H C Petray and Miss Hartigan

A chorus of 200 voices was organized in the Grant school last Friday afternoon by Mrs Nina L Dalton instructor in music It is composed of boys and girls of the seventh grade of the school and it is asserted by Principal Petray that many rich voices will be benefited by the training and that many vocalists will gradually be developed

There is excellent material in the new organization and it is very promising said Mrs Dalton

The work in the Cecilian Choral Society which was the first club of its kind formed in the school will continue its work under the direction of Miss A W Potter one of the eighth grade teachers There are thirty five girls in the society, which has for its object the cultivation of a taste for the finest musical compositions The student also study tone production which is an attractive feature of the course

The new governor of New York has a unique as well as a hard job to perform The Democrats of the state said in fact the whole people are undoubtedly to all the benefit consequent upon the happy accident of the Rochester convention that Governor Dix is sure speedily to be a figure of national interest There are already new and certain vantage points possibilities which may vastly enlarge his public career—Philadelphia Ledger

BASEBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED AT SCHOOL

Durant Pupils Prepare for Strenuous Spring in Athletics

The crack athletes of the Durant school have organized a baseball team and practice games will commence next week on the grounds Last year the team made an excellent record and successfully competed with rival teams representing the schools of the bay cities

Athletics was an important feature of school activities during the past and this year there has been much enthusiasm displayed in the different sports which are compulsory in the grammar schools of this city

The lads will soon go into training for the all battle carnival in spring when all the schools of Oakland will take part The event is scheduled to be one of the most important of the year No date has as yet been set for the meet

School Girl to Sing at Teachers' Meeting

Miss Ruth McKenzie daughter of Professor John McKenzie has been invited to sing at a meeting of the Teachers Association to be held Tuesday evening in Century hall San Francisco

The young singer graduated last December from the Durant school and was also a student in the Oakland High School where she registered January 3 with a coterie of pupils from that institution

During her high school course she will take part in student activities She has always made many friends in the school and promises to be one of the most popular girls She is very pretty and has many accomplishments

TWICE WED, TOGETHER ONLY THIRTEEN WEEKS

PITTSBURG Pa Jan 14—In almost seven years William and Henrietta Burkert of Groveland have lived together only thirteen weeks although twice married and today Mrs Burkert sued her husband for desertion and non support She said they were married about seven years ago but lived together only five weeks when they quarreled and separated The husband got a divorce

Mrs Burkert told the court that she was married to Burkert again last year but had been ordered within eight weeks to leave its home Burkert took the stand in his own defense and said that after he had obtained the divorce his former wife proposed to him and believing he loved her he married her Burkert who is said ratherly well to do was ordered to pay his wife $6 a week

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Arrivals at local hotels are as follows

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St Mark Hotel—Peiss New York D J Lage F J Heffernan D C Martin P J Pickey Los Angeles W H John Seattle W P Dean and wife R V Jones and wife James H Gray and wife Santa Rosa M F Bailey San Jose Miss Folkes Stockton Thomas P Gernandes Pinole Mr and Mrs M L Simpson Visalia, C R Devereux Concord E L Ferguson G W Pinney Charles B Thacher Fred D Clark Ohio Good Roads Tour Cortlandt Harper Portland W A Gray City Jesse D Foss New York Mrs F T McCarty and daughter Tacoma Mrs Agen and children J Carmody wife S Weiss and sister Walter Burpee city M Irvine and wife St Louis Bentham and wife Cagill Idaho Calton George Whitehead E Coleman city M Burns and wife San Francisco

Metropole Hotel—L Fiber city Miss Voyna Colusa, Cal Charles G Green Los Angeles D J Underwood Boston W M Parker Eureka Ca S L Larkin Coalinga George A Daniels Boston H H Masters Chicago F T Burnes, Modesto Cal, P J Tormey Grass Valley Cal

Adams Hotel—C F Rutledge E J Branigan Sacramento A P Morse wife and son Portland S F Sparks Winters A J Ward Los Angeles, F C Stevens and wife Sacramento B J Flood Stockton R A Morrison and wife Merced Mr and Mrs Charles Pierce Kansas City W A Phillips and wife Salt Lake A G Miller San Francisco T A Green and wife Spokane E S Lacy city J Hurton and wife, New York City, Robert H Ford, Butte, Mont; H A Goodman, San Francisco.

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HENRY C PETRAY JR, editor-elect of the Aegis, the official paper of the Oakland High School

Henry C Petray Jr editor of the Aegis the official journal of the Oakland High School announces the first edition of the paper will make its appearance early in February It promises to be replete with interesting stories and jokes The students are looking forward to this edition with much pleasure it being the first of the new year A feature of the publication will be graphic account of student activities in all departments

Young Petray is the son of H C Petray principal of the Grant school and enjoys the distinction of being one of the most prominent students in the senior class At the final election of the Students Council which was held in December he was elected editor of the Aegis This is the highest honor conferred upon a student and is only attained by good scholarship

The following is the editorial staff of the Aegis Henry Petray Jr editor Alice Elliott assistant editor Horace Helsen business manager Ruley Stevens athletic editor Clare Griffin assistant athletic editor Myron Nelson jokes Miss Alice Warner assistant jokes editor James Porter organization Elsa Ghirardelli assistant organization editor Miss Helen Brock school notes Ruth Pond alumni notes Miss Mignon De Neuf editor of the Girls Aegis

'POLY' TO ENTER BIG LIST IN MANY MEETS

Local High School Athletes to Go Out on Track for Honors.

The Oakland Manual Training and Commercial High School is about to start active training on the cinder paths at Fifteenth and Market streets for the coming field days and for the Interscholastic meet which is scheduled to be held Saturday April 9 and the date of arrival on Saturday May 6 Many candidates have signified their intention of trying out for the various events and this should result in a strong team being turned out Poly will also enter the Bay Counties Athletic League meet which comes off on April 1 on the University of California oval The individual dates for 100 and 220 yard dashes are Trask Feehan captain and Beam manager Feehan and Beam will also represent Poly in the 440 yard run Street will enter the hurdles and Ferguson on the 880 yard run and mile run Garcia will also enter the mile Dickson will do the pole vaulting for Poly The relay team will include Trask Feehan Beam Ferguson Street Beam and Dickson Maddern will enter the shot put and hammer throwing contests Besides these men many new candidates will try out for the various events and should result in high scores at the different field day events

Fremont to Seek Laurels on Track

The John C Fremont High will be well represented in the coming spring field days A new uniform for the girls with will be made on the school grounds under the supervision of Miss Ch stof the University of California It is expected to be done within a month a time Later large bleachers will be built and the whole field enclosed A large free Admission will be charged and the proceeds devoted to the high school athletic fund Captain Cole has a large number of candidates out for athletic honors and will enter fast track teams in athletic meet on April 1 the California Interscholastic meet on the 29th of April and the Stanford carnival May 6 Dr mon will be represented in 100 and 220 yard dashes by Hoff Hilbourn and Talkins in the 220 and 440 yard runs Cliff and Hurt will enter Milhoan will be the 880 yard entry and Captain Cole and McKnight will take care of the mile Hoff and Smith will do the pole vaulting McElrath and Wheyen will represent Fremont in the field events the shot put and hammer throwing The relay team will be picked from the following Sam Cliff Hoff Hilbourn Hansen Hurt and Cole Beside these above mentioned there are many other new men will report for the team

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SCIENCE HEALER TAKEN TO PRISON

Practitioner Arrested in New York for Not Having a License

NEW YORK Jan 14—From thoughts of palmists fortune tellers and astrologists the police turned their attention today to Christian Science and arrested Willis Cole a Christian Science practitioner in the rooms of standing in his church of Christian Scientist When he heard of the arrest of Strickler he declared great concerned and declared that he could not understand the arrest as it was no offense against the law to be a Christian Science practitioner Cole was arrested late in the afternoon in his office of offices in the Brunswick building and was charged with a violation of the health laws of the state of New York which make the practicing of medicine without a license a misdemeanor

Directorate Elected by Bank in Berkeley

BERKELEY Jan 14—The directorate of the South Berkeley Bank has elected officers for the ensuing year as follows President A W Naylor vice president Cunningham F B Norton cashier L K Cole directors H D Irwin and A V Link According to the fourteenth semi annual report the bank's deposits increased from $709 661 23 January 1 1910 to $ 5 676 39 the first of the present year

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Interest Centers in the Cotillion, While San Francisco Matrons Applaud Approvingly.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—The Colonial ballroom of the Hotel St Francis presented a dazzling appearance this evening when the Hermoso Cotillion Club held its third dance of the season

Distinctive interest was taken in the double cotillion figure the feature of the evening which was led by Miss Eloise Braun and Edgar P Seitz assisted by Miss Geline A Schaden and A J Alviso

The balcony boxes were crowded and scenes of appearance filled the ballroom as the intricate evolutions of the cotillion were danced

The committee in charge consisted of Dr J C Quinlan A J Alviso Dr I Kingsland R Van Kirk Dr I Markwitz Lagal Stoltz Wesley Bilson and Percy Buckland

Among those present were

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Kidd Dr J
August Roy A
Jones Roy
Schmidt George
Lanklin George
Hammond J
Gilar Darcel T
Buckland Percy G T
Lizaga A C
Rose John N
Seaford Frank W
Gosg H C
Redmond Ire J
Coleman Lilly
Bilson John Wesley
Sanders David
Farrell Joe
Meyer Milton
Butler Peter J
Robello J
Jones I B
Tunstall Victor A
Prigoling Albert H
Howe Winthrop T
Wilson George Hazelton
Thelen Parmon M
Ballinger W
Merkitz Dr Louis
Abbott A H
Mauerhan Arthur
Robbin Dr R L
Evans Daniel
Mills F
Remington Dr. Frederick
Rivier James
Reynes Albert
Reid Harry
Blunt Albert
Lyons I H
Rhodes Frederick
Taylor James
Butler Dr C
Kilnke Capt W Jan
Lasen R W
Daniels Vincent
Bailey James
Martin William F F
McGregor Andrew P
Kahn Daniel H
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Hisley Jessie
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Naturally the Democratic party will contest every attempt to take the tariff out of politics It is the only issue it has.—Albany Journal.

FRENCH APPROVE BRIAND MINISTRY

Colonial and Soudan Policies of Premier's New Lieutenant Win Popularity

PARIS Jan 14—In the re election of M Henri Brisson to the presidency of the French Chamber of Deputies by a vote larger than the combined supporters of the other candidates Paul Deschanel Republican and Jules Guesde United Socialist the reconstructed ministry of Aristide Briand secures an endorsement at an interesting juncture in domestic and foreign policies Briand's new lieutenant in the colonial office Jean Morel is winning praise for his tact and the colonial policy the energetic efforts to reclaim the French district in the Soudan region around Lake Chad Little Lady Wanda where the cotton growing prospects have been alluding to he Parisian physicians

Though the Nationalists criticise the government's administration of the colonies generally as lax they find little cause for complaint of Moslem prejudice the plan of Briand to push French influence in the Sahara and equatorial Africa against the Panislamic propaganda and the constant application of the diplomatic meets the approval of an overwhelming majority of the deputies

Briand made it clear that he is now committed to an aggressive completion and defensive military policy and this suits the bourgeois

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ORATORS AT SACRAMENTO ARE SAID TO BE SCARCE : :

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The people of the State are now concentrating their attention on the State Capitol and the big fights that are to go on there this winter. That Governor Johnson and the insurgents will carry through nearly all their reform measures seems practically assured.

But there is going to be a lively struggle over the Conservation Bill that your friend, former Governor George C. Pardee, and his committee are preparing. The southern legislators and those from the north are apt to line up against each other in battle array on the question without much regard to the lines now dividing insurgents and regulars.

For instance, Senator Boynton of Oroville, President pro tem of the Senate, about the brainest insurgent in the upper house, is going to give the Governor a battle on this Conservation bill. Boynton is attorney for the Northern Electric, the Natomas Consolidated and other great interests in the northern part of the State which control water rights and timber tracts of great value

When Senator Lee C. Gates of Los Angeles, the big southern leader, was asked how he expected the conservation fight to come out he said the result was very doubtful. "In the south we have certain theories as to conservation," said he; "while in the north these men are up against practical facts and they are not ready to agree with our theories."

Shall Judges be Subject to Recall?

Another matter that is going to cause a great deal of contest is the proposition to apply the recall to all judicial officers in the State from Supreme Court Justices down. In the bill that Senator Gates is preparing he proposes to have the people vote into the constitution the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

Now Governor Johnson has set his heart on having the recall apply to judges as well as to all other officers and he will use the power of his position to force the measure through. But most of the lawyers in the Legislature, particularly those of the Senate, believe it would be very unwise to have the judges of the State constantly subject to popular uprisings and hysterical conditions in the public mind.

For instance, if there had been a recall provision in the constitution at the time of the Schmitz decision by the Supreme Court there is not much doubt that the justices would very sharply have been taken off the bench; whereas, if the question of their recall were submitted now when the passions of men have had time to cool there is small question that the justices would be sustained by a popular vote. So there is going to be a sharp struggle on this question, and the Governor is apt to get all "het up" and wade into the Senators who do not agree with him with both fists.

What Was the Matter With Stephens?

The legislators who came down from Sacramento during the week-end recess do not seem at all proud of their labors in the election of John D. Works as United States Senator. Even the southerners who put him through admit they do not expect him to make a success at Washington. He is too cold and irascible to make friends, and when he tries to be genial he is about as natural as an elephant playing canary.

There was one of those southerners, however, who made a hit at Sacramento. That was Congressman-elect Stephens, who came up for the Works election. He is a full-bodied, warm old chap, who likes to be the last to bed, loves a good story even if it does not bear the brand of the Y. M. C. A., and admits that he prefers to know men so they can call him "Steve" or by his first name.

Naturally there was a general inquiry of the southerners: "Why didn't you put up this genuine Californian for United States Senator instead of that old ice-chest Works?"

It seems, however, that Stephens has not been converted to the insurgent faith long enough. He used to preside at meetings for Walter Parker, and it has been only a short time since he got in with Meyer Lissner and the goodies. Everybody wishes him well at Washington for all that and predicts a fine career for him in a place where geniality counts as it does in a club.

The Age of Oratory Has Passed

I have been making inquiries today among the returned legislators as to the quality of talk turned out so far this session. They are all of a mind that the age of oratory has passed so far as our Legislature is concerned.

The Senate promises to take from the Assembly the bad distinction of being the wind-swept part of the capitol. Generally it is the Assembly that exhausts itself in chin-music, while the Senate gets down to business. But at the time of the Works election the Assembly had finished its business an hour before the Senate got through talking and came to a vote.

There was some hope that Senator Lee C. Gates would develop into a spell-binder of a high type; but in his twenty-five-minute speech nominating Works he showed nothing more than rather a graceful fluency. Still, he has been ill ever since he came to Sacramento, and a sick man talking on a sick subject can hardly be expected to thrill.

Senator E. I. Wolfe of San Francisco probably will remain the best talker of the Senate, and though Nate Coghlan in the Assembly is furiously windy, no one has yet developed who can be put ahead of him in an oratorical contest in the Steerage, as the neglected Lower House is derisively called.

Of course we of California have gone ahead thinking that Governor Hiram Johnson is an orator of ability and force. But it seems we have been mistaken, for find that Sam Blythe in his article in the Saturday Evening Post on California political conditions distinctly states that our Governor is not an orator.

Then where shall we turn for oratory? Have we no orators left except Samuel M. Shortridge? And yet it is only a few years since California was considered the bright, particular home of the orator. But when you come to think of it, we will not have a man at Washington who can do anything better than make a fairly intelligible speech when he is called upon to get on his feet. Perhaps we only need workers instead of talkers.

A Fine Chance for the Women

If the suffragettes can't get their constitutional amendment before the people this time I don't know when they are going to have a better chance. Mrs. Elizabeth Gerberding, who is close up to Governor Johnson, has told that she has a promsie from him to help the cause in every way possible and he is the boss and lord at Sacramento.

Old Senator-elect Works came right out for suffrage in his first speech. Meyer Lissner and Lee Gates had been sent for by Works to listen to his talk before he made it. Both of them advised that he cut out the declaration on suffrage; but he turned down their advice cold:

"No, that's what I believe, and I'm going to say it," he declared flatly.

You know, Works was healed of disease by a female Christian Science healer, and he then became for a time the first reader in the Christian Science Church at Los Angeles. Naturally he looks with a kindly eye on the cause of women.

But the suffragettes are not all of one mind. They disdain Clara Foltz, the lawyer, who says there is no need of a Constitutional amendment to win suffrage for women, but that it can be compassed by a statute. Clara makes fun of the other suffragettes and sneers at the way they double up their Christian names, live at the best hotels and bother the men. Then, too, there has been a Southern California woman at Sacramento fighting against suffrage as hard as she can talk, and she's a "good looker" at that.

Perhaps all these differences account for the fact that the suffragettes are not willing to leave the whole question to a vote of the women of California. That would seem to be the honorable solution. If the women want the ballot, let the dear creatures have it. If they don't want it, why force it on them? But it seems that in Massachusetts the question was submitted to the women and they turned it down hard.

The Place for a Great Hotel

I was talking the other day with a man who was one of the proprietors of the California Hotel at the time of the big fire. He wonders that the Macdonoughs didn't reconstruct that hostelry, and insists that there is a fine opening for it yet. Said he:

"Of course San Francisco has built up a lot of fine hotels since the great disaster, but there is nothing that has taken the place of the Russ, Lick, Occidental, Grand and California. The opening is still wide, and a hotel on the site of the California would bring in big returns."

"Did the California pay at the time it was burned?" I asked of him, the general impression being that it was not a great money-maker.

"I should say it did," was the emphatic reply. "When we first opened the hotel it lost money at the rate of $100 a day But when we had our outside connections arranged and our interior affairs in good order we began making money handsomely. For a long time before the fire my share of the profits was at least $2500 a month, and we paid the owners a fine interest on their investment."

Ghost and Goat Fight.

The United States Senatorial contest, just concluded, has been described by a would-be wag as "a fight between a ghost and a goat." For some days, if not weeks, Judge John D. Works, through his political manager, Meyer Lissner, was butting away against a more or less shadowy opponent away down in San Diego, and it was not until the evening before the balloting that this competitor appeared in substance at Sacramento.

A fact not generally known is that Anson G. Spalding, the millionaire sporting goods man, who makes his home in San Diego, was originally introduced into the Senatorial contest as an advertisement for that southern city. When I say not generally known, I might add that probably the conditions under which he was made a candidate for the toga were not contained in the fund of general information possessed by the candidate himself.

Colonel Collier, one of the live wires of San Diego, while on a visit to San Francisco conceived the idea that as Los Angeles had a candidate in Works, San Diego should also have a candidate against its southern rival in booms and boomlets.

A week later Charlie Hardy, the Republican boss of San Diego, made a more formal announcement of Spalding's candidacy and the entry was accepted as made.

On the arrival of Spalding at Sacramento the glad-hand feature of the contest was put on in the lobby of the Hotel Sacramento. The main purpose of this exhibition was to show that the baseball magnate was a better "mixer" than his more scholarly rival, and the wag made another contribution in that it was a great fight between "a baseball pitcher and a icewater pitcher," which, by the way, was not a bad bit of description of the cold and hot waves that swept the lobby in the vicinity of the rival aspirants.

Spalding was all for war that night, and in a speech to the newspaper reporters declared that if Works were elected he would bring action to impeach him, alleging that his choice would have been effected by fraud in the purchase of votes by the use of patronage.

The next day, however, Spalding was the true sportsman again, and said so in another address to the reporters. He had no fault to find with anyone, not even Umpire Meyer Lissner. The threatened impeachment had been forgotten and the San Diego delegation and its candidate returned to their booming city to meditate on the uncertainties of politics as played from a reform viewpoint.

Some of the San Diegans were very angry with the Republican members from San Francisco, all of whom had been "advised" for Spalding, and threats were made of reprisals as against the Pacific Panama Exposition, but probably these were merely words uttered during the chagrin of defeat and quickly to be forgotten.

Why Flint Withdrew.

Much has been said and written as to the reasons for Senator Frank Flint declining to enter the contest for the toga again. Meyer Lissner and the other manipulators of the Works canvass sought to make it appear that Flint did not become a candidate because of the cost of a campaign. This they mouthed much and dwelt upon their assertion that the cost of Works' canvass, to Works, was less than $1000.

I have been told that Senator Flint's controlling reason for not again becoming a candidate for the toga was the cost of living in Washington, D. C. Flint made a remarkable record, forging to the front in influential circles and easily taking the lead of the young men in Congress. He was a favorite with Aldrich and other leaders and he was held in such confidence and esteem by President Taft that he was frequently called into the midnight conferences at the White House.

By reason of his position he was enabled to obtain much for Southern California in the way of appropriations for harbor improvements, new fortifications and the advancing of legislation for steamship lines and other improvements and developments desired by his constituents, to say nothing of his defense of the citrus fruit interests and in the matter of tariff.

But it cost money to maintain this position. The Flints were popular and were entertained extensively. They were obliged to give entertainments in return. They maintained a house in the better residence part of the national capital and soon their expenditures became a heavy tax upon their resources. Then a halt was called, and at the same time Flint decided that he could not afford to live in Washington. The social pace was too great for him to maintain and he told his friends that under no consideration would he again become a candidate—and he meant it.

Now Judge Works probably will encounter no such financial stress. He is of economical habit and his salary as Senator will meet all his wants and social ambitions. At Sacramento he was dining with two friends or relatives, making a party of three. The waiter was attentive and obliging, anticipating their every want with alacrity. On leaving the table Senator Works carefully and cautiously laid two nickels beside his plate as a "tip" for the service he had been given.

The waiter looked at the brace of nickels and then at the party of three he had given attendance, first in surprise and then in indignation.

The servitor left the nickels on the table with the other crumbs and went wearily into the kitchen for a discussion of the matter with his fellow waiters. What was remarked at that conference has not been made public, but it is said that suggestions of reform legislation in relation to "tips" may have been among the topics.

REFORMERS WANT TO MAKE RECALL APPLY TO JUDICIARY

To Distribute Patronage

Those intimately associated with Governor Hiram W. Johnson believe that he means what he says in relation to clearing the State commissions and departments of their present officials. As to Senator Works' declaration that he will do a like stunt in relation to the Federal offices in this State, the accomplishment of the latter is too remote of consummation to excite great immediate interest.

One of the Governor's first appointments was that of Colonel P. A. Forbes of Marysville to the important and responsible office of Adjutant-General. This has given general dissatisfaction to the militant union labor men, from Michael Casey down or up. They claim that they supported Johnson for Governor with the understanding that Colonel Cannon, who has been given the post of Assistant Adjutant-General, was to have first place in the National Guard; hence their murmurings against the selection of the "personal representative" of the Western Pacific.

The office of attorney for the State Board of Harbor Commissioners is exciting some interest. Under the Gillett administration it was held by Will Davis, now practicing his profession in Los Angeles, and who on going to the southern city placed his resignation with the board, to be accepted at their pleasure. Two candidates were discussed to succeed him, Carey Van Fleet, son of the United States District Judge, and now in the Attorney-General's office, and Emil Nusbaumer of Oakland. For some reason neither was appointed and now the choice is to be made by Governor Johnson. Ralph Harbern is an active candidate, and there are many more who would like the place.

The story runs that Davis at one time thought he might be retained by Johnson because of close family and social relations. But after the election the Governor and his family "cut the Davis dead" and now the head of the latter family has more professional business in Los Angeles than he can well attend to, much less continue to act as attorney for the San Francisco Harbor Commission. The cause of this course on the part of Johnson is said to be a belief that Davis did not display sufficient interest in his fight at the primary, Davis having been a supporter of Stanton of Los Angeles.

Johnson is said to rely upon the Democrats in the State Senate to aid him in his proposal to remove all the present heads of departments and commissioners alleged to have been on speaking terms with any Southern Pacific official. The new commissions are to be in a measure non partisan and thus afford appointments for hungry Democrats, and of course their party will stand with them on an issue involving jobs.

One proposed scheme is to have a Board of Control to take charge of all departments, with deputies as subordinates. For example, the present plan proposes the appointment of one man to take control of the San Francisco harbor front instead of three commissioners as at present. The local head of this department will be responsible and report to the Bureau of Control. Expected appointments under the new organization are said to have had their influence among the legislators in the recent election of United States Senator.

Ex-Mayor George Clark of Sacramento, now a funeral director in San Francisco, is said to be slated for either a Harbor Commissioner or a member of the Board of Control. Johnson served under Clark when the latter was mayor as corporation counsel for Sacramento, and an appointment of Clark now would be reciprocal. Clark is also supposed to have been very generous in the support of Johnson's canvass.

How Hanchett Won

Louis S. Hanchett, the owner of the San Jose street railroad system who is having trouble with the city authorities over the management of the property, is one of the younger business men of San Francisco who has become a millionaire during the past ten or twelve years. He has made his money in street railroads, getting his first big start by taking over an option on the San Jose lines and closing it within three days of its expiration. A prominent San Francisco lawyer held the option on a payment of $30,000. He stood to lose this money because he was unable to raise funds sufficient to close the deal. The option had still thirty days to run when Hanchett took it off his hands and went to New York to raise money to buy the properties. Those who think Hanchett got the money from the late George Crocker, his brother-in-

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law, are mistaken. He never had any business dealings with Crocker nor was he able to get funds in New York. He came back home in a desperate frame of mind. One day he put the proposition before Frank Tillman of this city, who had available cash. Through Tillman, Hanchett closed the deal after most people acquainted with the limited time the option had to run thought he was a sure loser.

His Fiancee in Tears

New Year's Eve frolics continue to be quietly talked about. One has to do with a certain society chap who not long ago returned from Europe. He and his fiancee were among a merry set at dinner in a certain Western Addition home. After the repast, where much that is good to eat and drink was enjoyed, a suggestion about an auto ride to the Casino north of Golden Gate Park and out to the beach was quickly acted upon. Six of the younger members of the party were soon on their way in a big car. The sextette included the fair fiancee and her European-returned lover. Arriving at the Casino, the three ladies remained in the auto while their escorts drifted into the bar for a minute. Inside, they found men and women clinking glasses, laughing with the most delightful abandon and even singing in a happy-go-lucky style. Our engaged young man had partaken of enough good cheer to be just in the mood for a rollicking good time, regardless of those waiting outside. He soon had the center of the saloon floor, dancing as he sang the tuneful quatrain:

"It rained forty days
An' it rained forty nights,
An' the ark kept a-rockin'
An' the rain kept a-droppin'."

One of the women in the place was not long in dancing with him. Deaf to the entreaties of his two companions, they went out in disgust to the anxious women in the automobile. The engaged young woman was soon in tears and was bent upon dragging her escort away from his unseemly surroundings. After much persuasion, the society chap ceased disporting himself with the much-mixed throng at the bar. That ended the night's outing while still the hours were young. The ladies insisted upon going home.

Miss Neilson's Stiletto

Christine Neilson and Olga Steck, two San Francisco girls who began their comic opera careers in their home town with a good many hard knocks and disappointments before success came to them, are more than duplicating their local triumphs in Chicago. Neilson has a prominent part this month in the Mme. Sherry comic opera. She is the daughter of a police officer. One of her hobbies is to fence with a light sword and also with a stiletto. With both, she is very skillful. I am told she still exercises with both weapons and has attained marvelous adeptness with them. On one occasion in this city while waiting in a gallery to be photographed in some of her movements with the stiletto, she was handling the weapon in a most reckless manner. Some nervous woman in the gallery cautioned the pretty singer to be more careful or she might cut herself.

"That's impossible," was the confident reply born of a belief that she was an absolute master of the long keen-bladed knife.

The next instant in quickly making a movement with it, she badly cut one of her thumbs. She was so chagrined over the accident that she walked out of the place. I saw the incident but I never inquired if she ever went back to have her stunts with the stiletto photographed.

How Genius Acts

If genius has its drawbacks, it has also its privileges and prerogatives. In Monterey and Carmel-by-the-Sea, the home towns of genius, as it were, their prerogatives are exercised without quip or question. It is right here where the difference pricks the ordinary man like a thorn in the flesh. When the rest of mankind feels it incumbent upon himself to wrestle into tuxedo or swallow-tail, the social requirements demanding such exertion, genius strolls serenely in and out of the most exclusive gatherings in khaki. Two prominent society women of Monterey poutingly confided to me that at their own and other social affairs where evening dress was en regle, they of the brush and pen nonchalantly strolled in invariably attired in their dust-colored khaki.

"Charming men? Yes, of course, or we would not invite them," they say; "but, oh, why, is it that they never wear evening clothes like other men?"

It was at another exclusive gathering where the khaki was in evidence that a genius so clad, on whose Dantesque features rests the brooding melancholy of his prototype, found the salads and ices of the supper table too materialistic for his palate. Wandering like a lost spirit into the regions of the pantry, he found, alas, not his Beatrice but a bowl of whipped cream which he immediately bore in triumph back before the assembled company. He consumed the whole thereof, it is said, without suffering any bad after-effects. Such is the trusting and child-like spirit of genius in its native habitat.

Dinner for Their Rival

There has not been any mention in the local papers about the dinner at the Bohemian club Dr. Rupert Blue and Frederick Greenwood gave in honor of Clifford Cook, the brother of the beautiful Mrs. Sterling Postley, and his fiancee, Francis Stewart, the daughter of Humphrey J. Stewart. There were twenty-four at the table. Frank Unger specially designed the menus for the occasion, while Orrin Peck attended to the decorations in the red room, where the affair was held. Harry Francis, the epicure and amateur chef, suggested some of the most tempting dishes served at the repast. Those acquainted with the facts say the delightful affair is particularly noteworthy because the handsome and talented Dr. Blue and the chivalrous Greenwood were devoted admirers of Miss Stewart before young Cook came along and won her heart and hand. However that may, the dinner was one of the best-appointed affairs the Bohemian club rooms have seen in a long while.

Farmer Wants Damages

Fred Thompson, who represents the Rock Island road on this coast, has a copy of a letter a farmer recently sent to the lawyers of the road asking damages for some pigs of his that a locomotive killed and a straw stack that was set on fire by sparks from an engine, which is a classic in its way. The letter in full, particulars included, is as follows:

Mr. Clame Agent—i kindly ast you for demege for burning a strow stack of twenty akers of weat wich i ast 10 dolers. It was burnt the 30 day of September by a frate train and i worked with my to boys all after none to sav my corn and i have sustaned so much damish that i tink i am justified to som pay and today Oct 5 the west lokle kild 2 pigs for me which wold way 50 ponds a pese, and i all so clame pay for them that wes worth 4 dolers a pese, wenever somesing gits out it is on the track this time a year wen they are holen weat som of the cars leak and skater weat all along the track and it is all the time kilen chicken and terkes and thayar wort money so i wold like for younes to fense your rode with chicen wire, i tink the law requiers it if the track cuts throw my farm and my bildens are prity close to the track i hope you will look at it rite and give me dere sattesfachen i spoke to Kelly the sechen bose and he said he wold sent in a lode the straw, the hogs just got kild today so please let me know by reterne male excuse bad spellen but give me satesfashen. Your Friend.

Finger-print Idenification

A friend, an officer of the United States Marine Corps, at present in town, tells me the finger-print identification system adopted by the corps about four years ago has proven a success. The marine corps has some 18,000 records of finger prints. Of these, about 14,000 are records of recruits, the balance being those of men in the service at the date when the system was adopted. Fully 233 detections as to fraudulent enlistments have been made by this system, this being about one detection to sixty recruits enlisted, thus showing, in his opinion, the advantage of the system. He believes that so long as the different branches of the service work independently, the best results will not follow, for it is only by the merest accident that the work of one office benefits any other office. He suggests a finger-print clearing-house for the army, navy and marine corps which would make every finger-print taken available for the purpose of detecting fraudulent enlistments in all the services. He thinks the scheme of such a clearing-house entirely feasible.

Lady and the Punching Bag

In one of the city's pretentious family hotels a certain bank clerk has a modest room. He has been disturbed night after night by the roomer next door doing things with a punching bag he had rigged up in the room some way. At breakfast each morning the harassed future bank president has looked over the crowd and wondered who the bag puncher might be, but there was no one in sight but a bunch of women and eight or nine men with narrow chests and retreating chins. The other night he made up his mind to knock on the bag punching roomer's door and ask him to put over his gymnasium exercises until daylight when all of the world is awake. He figured the fellow might be small enough to bulldoze even with his daily athletic stunts. So knock on the door he did. It opened quickly and there clad in a tight-fitting red jersey was a robust buxom woman of perhaps thirty summers.

"And what did you say to her?" quizzed the interested coterie listening to his tale.

"I was so startled," was his frank reply, "that I asked what afterward seemed to me the most natural request I could have made. I asked her if she'd lend me a couple of matches. Since then, believe me, that punching bag noise doesn't bother me in the least."

Bank Prosecutions End

The dismissal of the indictment against Walter J. Bartnett ends for good and all any further prosecution of officials and directors of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company for its big collapse in the fall of 1907. The bank owed about thirteen millions to 12,500 depositors when it failed. All they have got so far is ten per cent. Bartnett is in the east trying desperately to effect a reorganization with the assistance of a depositors' committee at this end. A few weeks will tell if these efforts are to come to anything. If not, the depositors may get another dividend of 15 per cent, but hardly any more. This will mean twenty-five cents on the dollar. J. Dalzell Brown is the only officer of the bank who went to San Quentin. He was given a sentence of eighteen months. He enjoys a prosperous business in Los Angeles now and has recently been to London on some private mission. Brown and Bartnett in their deal with the Western Pacific railroad by which it got terminal properties here, in Oakland and at Stockton, got in part payment 125,000 shares of its stock. Receiver Frank J. Symmes and the depositors' committee have only been able to trace 68,600 of these shares. What has become of the remaining 56,400 shares is a mystery. It is also not clear whether, if these shares were located by the receiver, he could legally claim them. If Symmes has finally to wind up the affairs of the institution, the first complete story of these 125,000 shares of Western Pacific stock may come to the surface.

Not for Chinese Reform

Lee Fong Yop, one of the educated and prosperous merchants of Chinatown, is a reactionary against the tendency of his influential countrymen both here and in China to abolish the queue and adopt the clothes of the Occident. Yop said the other night while in the company of several American doctors and lawyers who were having a supper in Chinatown with him:

"The Chinese are a nation of aesthetics and those foreigners who have taken the trouble to make more than a merely superficial acquaintance with them will bear me out in this. They are perhaps the only nation who, male and female alike, take a real pride in the beauty of their clothes, the fineness of the material and the delicacy of the design. Furthermore they are perfectly happy and contented as they are. I hope China will always remain faithful to her ancient and historic customs. Look at Japan. Fifty years ago Japan was a beautiful country both from the natural beauties and the extreme prettiness of the national costume. And now? A wretched country adorned with ghastly advertisements and still more ghastly manufacturing towns, where women, tightly laced in ill-fitting foreign clothes, and over-Europeanized men, immaculate and uncomfortable, do their best to obliterate the beauties of the past with a tawdry ugliness of the present. The vandal hand of progress has wrought its havoc there and it should not be encouraged in China. Japan has not really benefited by its modernity and wholesale adoption of European customs. As a nation, it has become greater, but the people individually are not as happy as of yore. They may or may not have gained the respect of the nations, but they have undoubtedly lost their incomparable and unique art and this is irreparable. I hope China will not do likewise."

Searles Keeps the Money

Edward F. Searles, the multimillionaire widower of the late Mrs. Mark Hopkins Searles, is shortly coming to the coast en route on a trip to the Orient. Searles was the decorator for a large eastern firm when he first met Mrs. Mark Hopkins, the widow of a member of the famous quartette which built the Central Pacific railroad, an enterprise which laid the foundation for four large fortunes. Searles' courtship of the widow and their marriage proved a great sensation some thirty years ago and led to other sensations in after years. When Mrs. Hopkins Searles died it was found that she had disinherited her adopted son, Timothy Hopkins of this city, who, among other things, is chairman of the board of trustees of Stanford University. The Crockers and Stanford people supported him in his fight for a share of the estate. Huntington sided with Searles and his leading counsel, General Thomas H. Hubbard of New York. Hopkins finally got a compromise, which, it is said, amounted to six millions. Huntington, with the aid of the Searles stock, was able in 1900 to force Senator Stanford from the presidency of the Southern Pacific Company. Searles is still an owner in the Pacific Improvement Company, which has much property on this coast, including the Del Monte Hotel. The old Mark Hopkins property on Nob Hill was given to the San Francisco Art Association by Searles. It is now an adjunct of the University of California. Searles has three palatial country homes in Massachusetts and in recent years has frequently quarreled with the authorities about the taxes they have forced him to pay. It is generally believed he is worth today in excess of $20,000,000, having carefully managed the fortune his wife left him.

Sutros to Sell Property

Some of the energetic Golden Gate Park commissioners are quietly working to get some rich public-spirited citizen to purchase either Sutro forest or Sutro Heights and present it to Golden Gate Park as a gift. Sutro forest, a finely wooded hill to the southeast of the park, would be a very worthy addition to the people's beautiful playground. The millionaires of San Francisco have not been very generous to the city's great park, one of the four finest in the world, for reasons not very clear. W. W. Stow did considerable for the place. Stow Lake is named after him. Huntington Falls are named after C. P. Huntington. Claus Spreckels gave the music stand. The Crocker family has also been generous in its gifts. To add as a gift either Sutro forest or Sutro Heights would be a noble act on the part of some rich man or woman. Dr. Emily Merritt, one of the heirs of Adolph Sutro, wants Sutro Heights on the western edge of the park preserved intact as a monument to her father. Probably she and the other five heirs may one of these days give it to the park. These six heirs have ended all their litigation and are now beginning to sell a part of the 3000 acres they own on the north, west and south sides of the park. Included in this acreage is Sutro forest. They have arranged to sell to a local development company for $1,418,520 a stretch of land south of the forest known as the San Miguel ranch, which contains 724 acres. Their holdings all told are valued in excess of $6,000,000. This first sale means the breaking up of a large landed domain that in a few years will be covered with homes for hundreds of people and greatly increase the density of population south of Golden Gate Park.

Loeb's Apology

Apropos of the inquisitiveness of Collector Loeb of New York as to the contents of the trunks of Mrs. George W. McNear of your city, which she had shipped home in bond on her arrival in New York from Europe some time ago, I hear of a letter of apology Loeb has written to a certain San Francisco woman because of her treatment by two of his inspectors when she recently landed in New York from Paris. Loeb has been for several months prying into what several San Francisco society people shipped in bond to this city from New York on landing there. What, if anything, he has found out to their discredit is not known. The note of apology to the woman in question is a decided contrast to this or that suspicion emanating from Collector Loeb's office. This lady, who was traveling alone, had declared everything fully and fairly in New York. She said her pearl necklace was imitation. It was. She declared she had bought it in New York several years before. That was true. She said her watch and chain was worth $135 and had been bought in New York several years before. That was true, also. The inspectors tried to intimidate her. She appealed to influential friends in New York as to the truth of her statements. The jewelers from whom she had purchased the necklace and watch and chain gave evidence in her favor. Still one of the inspectors wanted to break one of the pearls to see if it was imitation. He was told to do so, but finally refrained. After everything was cleared up the inspectors continued surly. It appears the matter was laid before Loeb by the lady's New York friends. The inspectors were disrated and the letter of apology followed, showing in this case at least that Loeb while wanting the laws strictly enforced, also wanted fair play.

THE KNAVE.

AUTONOMY MAY BE GRANTED IRELAND

Asquith's Program for Convening of Parliament Is Being Made Definite.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Forecasts of the program of Mr. Asquith for the near future are made definite as the date for the convening of the new parliament draws near. The most specific is that King George's speech will contain a "strong allusion" to the granting of autonomy to Ireland.

This is said to be founded upon "remarks let fall by persons in close touch with Mr. Lloyd-George."

At Cape Martin, where he has been recuperating, the chancellor of the exchequer informs Paris interviewers that provided England has no foreign difficulties during the next fortnight, she will witness great social transformations and that, so far as the present coalition majority is concerned, he and his cabinet associates are determined to "go the limit."

WILL PASS VETO BILL.

It is predicated here, however, that Asquith will not take up during 1911 the complicated question of a reform of the house of lords, but will be content to pass his veto bill before the coronation in June.

Radical prophets declare that the lords will swallow the veto bill, as they swallowed the Lloyd-George first budget.

New taxes will not be necessary to carry out the social program of the London cabinet. The returns from proprietors of mining rights are yielding more than was estimated, and Lloyd-George has not only in readiness his bills for insurance against unemployment and sickness, but has also $80,000,000 to meet them in the next budget. After the veto of the lords is disposed of, but not till then, the subject of home rule will be taken up. Sir Charles Dilke prays that the Irish Nationalists will vote with the Liberals for a year at least, but will show a tendency to leap the traces when the home rule is actually before them, if it shall be proven "too moderate."

LEGISLATIVE CUPID RIGHT ON THE JOB

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 14.—A matrimonial bureau has been established in the Missouri legislature. Not out of the long distance, letter writing variety, but a real live one that guarantees happy matches. At least that is the claim James M. Burgin, representative from Gentry county, makes for his new undertaking.

"I think every man ought to be married," Mr. Burgin explained. "I am married and have fifteen children. At first I intended to introduce a bill requiring every legislator to be married. Then I found that it probably would be unconstitutional, so I am going to confine myself to promoting marriages among the members and employes of the house. I believe that I will be doing more good for the state than by proposing laws."

Mr. Burgin said that he knew two unmarried members of the house who were worth $500,000 each. "All they need is a wife," he said. "Back home they call me a busybody because—well because I'm always trying to get young people to marry. I've been directly responsible for ten happy marriages."

POULTRY PAYS IN ALAMEDA COUNTY

Raising Fowls for Market and Egg Trade Is Profitable.

Mrs. Ellen Jacque, one of Alameda county's leading poultry fanciers, has assumed the task of answering queries regarding the future of Alameda county as a poultry field. Here is one of the queries made of her and its answer:

THE QUERY.

"Mrs. Ellen Jacque, Fruitvale, Cal.

Dear Madam: I see that you answer questions through the poultry papers and thought perhaps you might help me out. We want to come to California before another winter and would like to know something of the country around your town. Where is Fruitvale and is it on a railroad, and about what would five acres suitable for a chicken ranch cost? What breed is best for an egg ranch? We keep the Leghorns here, but they are not good winter layers and their combs freeze badly in this climate (Kansas). Do you know of any breed that lays better than the Leghorn?"

ANSWER.

Fruitvale is a part of the city of Oakland, and is in Alameda county, on the east shore of San Francisco bay. We have the Southern Pacific, Western Pacific and Santa Fe Railroads, with local and ferry service to San Francisco every ten and twenty minutes. This places us within easy reach of the best market. You would make no mistake in locating anywhere in the East Bay section.

There are colonies of poultry farmers in the Castro Valley near Hayward, in the Livermore valley and around Irvington, with many others scattered over the county. Five acres will cost from $1200 up, according to location and improvements. (I am speaking now of these poultry centers in this county).

FIVE ACRES PROFITABLE.

It has been and is being demonstrated that five acres, properly cared for, will yield a handsome income. Few poultrymen, with this size ranch, grow anything but their family gardens and green feed for their fowls. There is always an orchard, but the income from this source is never counted in on the poultry profits, nor is the added health and happiness which comes from outdoor work amidst pleasant surroundings ever mentioned, for it is rare to find a California poultry ranch without its vine covered bungalow, its rose garden, geranium hedges and green lawns.

WHITE EGGS AT PREMIUM.

Most of the egg ranchers in this State keep white Leghorns. The San Francisco market pays a premium on white eggs at the present time, but the Orpington people are becoming so numerous and are protecting so vigorously against the injustice of this rule that it is safe to say it will not be long till the brown egg will have an equal chance with the white.

There is probably a white egg, that will surpass the Leghorns in egg production, but personally I should prefer the white Minorcas. There are two reasons for this choice. The Minorca pullets lay as large an egg as the Leghorn hen and the fowls being larger will bring more when sent to market.

A BUFF MINORCA.

A Californian has originated a buff Minorca, which is destined to become very popular, but due to its scarcity and consequent high price it is a question for a large egg ranch for some time to come.

There is no charge for answers given through the American Poultry Journal and if I have not covered the ground fully let me know and I will try again.

(MRS.) ELLEN JACQUE.
3117 School street, Fruitvale District, Oakland, Cal.

29 ARE HELD TO ANSWER CHARGES

Unusual Number of Preliminary Hearings Held by the San Francisco Courts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Following the attention which Chief of Police Seymour recently called to the remarkable delay that is had in police court cases, it developed today that three times the usual number of prisoners were held to answer on felony charges during the last week.

Exactly twenty-nine prisoners were held to answer during that time on charges of felony. Hitherto ten has been considered the average. The police judges have insisted that delays in felony cases have not been due to laxity on their part.

During the past week the prisoners who have been held to answer have been tabulated thus: Seventeen on the charge of burglary, some of them on two charges; three charged with grand larceny, two with assault with a deadly weapon, one for assault to rob, three for assault to murder, one for a felony charge under the statute, one for a violation of section 288 of the Penal Code, one for robbery.

Besides this number there have been six men convicted on charges of petty larceny.

Each one of these number has been forced to have his photograph taken by the identification bureau for future reference.

A week ago Chief of Police Seymour pointed out that the city prison is overflowing with prisoners and that more attention to their calendars by police judges might remedy this fault.

Former Prize Fighter Tells of a Holdup

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—A tale of a bold burglar who entered his room and at the point of a revolver robbed him of a $500 stickpin, two rings worth $200 each and $28 in money, was told the police tonight by Jimmy Lawlor, former prizefighter. Lawlor claims that the robber stole into his room in the New Western hotel while he was dressing and leveling a revolver at his head took his valuables.

"You are fortunate that you got off as lucky as you did as I killed one man tonight," Lawlor said as the robber told him as he left the room. The ex-prizefighter says that he was introduced to the thief several days ago and could identify him.

Woman Proprietor of Poolroom Is Held

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Alice Walters, who conducted a poolroom for women on Webster street, was today held to answer by Police Judge Shortall for a violation of the Cole-Walker anti-betting law. The woman was arrested in a raid made on her place by a squad of policemen headed by Madeline D'Arcy, the woman detective of the local department.

STORM SIGNALS IN HALL OF TAMMANY

J. S. Cram On the War Path for the Scalp of W. F. Sheehan.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Storm signals, indicating a revolt in Tammany Hall against the selection of William F. Sheehan for United States Senator were posted here today when J. Sergeant Cram, long a member and high in the councils of the party, announced that if Sheehan were elected he would quit politics.

"I think," said Mr. Cram, "that the interests have one Senator already and should not have two; why should not the other 9,000,000 people of the state be represented?

"Between Sheehan and Shepard, I certainly prefer Shepard. Mr. Shepard's election would not drive people into bitter resentment and they would not turn against the Democratic party as I believe they will if Mr. Sheehan is elected.

"The people are up in arms and will resent the election of another representative of the interests."

Senator John Godfrey Saxe and Assemblyman Harold J. Friedman, both members of the Tammany organization, declared today that they would not vote for Mr. Sheehan for a Senator and would work and vote for Mr. Shepard.

Have You a Cold?

Better Check It at Once—Neglect Often Leads To Serious Illness

Oil of Pine is a splendid natural remedy for the treatment of throat and bronchial troubles. Because of its purity and freedom from opiates and narcotic drugs it is especially valuable for children. Two or three drops of the Pine, on a little sugar, affords speedy relief to the most obstinate cough, soothes the irritation and heals the inflamed mucous membrane.

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GREEK LABORER SAVES A GIRL

Comes Upon Scene in Time to Prevent Fire From Burning Child.

BIGGS, Jan. 14.—What might have led to a serious conflagration and the burning of the Nelson Anderson residence in North Biggs, and perhaps the death of the two small children who were alone in the house, was narrowly averted by the timely arrival of a Greek laborer who with his companions lives near the section house of the Southern Pacific near the Anderson home. He saw the fire leaping up to the lace curtains and ran at once and put out the blaze.

The little girl, who is about five years of age, was in the house with a younger child about nine months old and had set some kindlings on fire in a woodbox the flames from which soon spread to the curtains hanging near.

Mrs. Anderson had gone on an errand to the home of a neighbor, while Anderson was in the barn doing the evening chores.

Had not the Greek seen the blaze and arrived on the scene at the time there would have resulted a big fire and death of the children who will not have escaped from the room as the older girl could not reach the door knob to open any door.

Pioneer Pastor Is to Dedicate Church

PETALUMA, Jan. 14.—The new Christian church will be dedicated in February and the pastor, Rev. L. C. Ferguson is making great preparations for the event. Rev. Dr. Smither of Los Angeles who is one of the oldest ministers of the Christian church and who has been pastor of the Los Angeles church for 25 years, will deliver the dedicatory sermon. Many prominent clergymen from all over the state have been invited.

LECTURE ON COAST RANGES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—"The Coast Ranges and Their Relation to San Francisco" is the subject of a lecture by Professor Ruliff S. Holway, head of the department of geography at the University of California. This lecture which is the sixth of the university extension series will be given Monday evening, January 16th, at Koller & Chase hall, O'Farrell street, near Market, and will be illustrated by a large number of stereoptic views.

INVENTOR VICTIM OF IRONY OF FATE

Killed in Just Such Accident He Had Perfected Device to Prevent.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Harry H. Cade of Chicago, who died today from injuries received in a wreck yesterday on the New York Central at Batavia, N. Y. was in the east, it developed today to present plans he had worked out for an automatic stop signal which would have made impossible the accident of which he was the victim.

Mr. Cade, who was Chicago manager for the Federal Signal Company of Albany, had been at work for a long period perfecting a signal which would complement the visual signals now employed and automatically stop a train if the engineer failed to see it, as was the case at Batavia.

His method would, he was convinced, not only stop a train's running by a danger signal, but would safeguard open switches in the same way and give a loud warning in the cab of an engine or interurban car.

LECTURE SERIES FOR STUDENTS

Subjects to Be Discussed Today On Elmhurst and San Lorenzo.

The Oakland Branch of the International Bible Students Association announce a series of highly interesting lectures arranged for the bay cities.

This afternoon two will be given: In Elmhurst in Redmen's hall "Man's Past Present and Future" will be discussed and in San Lorenzo in Village hall "Where Are the Dead?" will be answered.

In the near future, the remainder of this series will be presented in towns surrounding Oakland including "Is God Hereafter," "Judgment Day Blessings," "Is Christ or Satan Winning."

The association has made arrangements for this service free to the public; no collections will be taken and Christians, Jewish people and non-believers are specially invited.

Scholarship Requirement to Enter Fraternities Tabooed

U. OF C. PRESIDENT FROWNS ON PLAN OF COLUMBIA

Believes in Student Government in the University of California.

PUT YOUTHS ON THEIR HONOR, HE DECLARES

Considers System in Vogue at Berkeley at Present Is Best.

In the press dispatches a few days ago it was said that the faculty of Cornell University was planning to make a new rule by which there should be a scholarship requirement for membership in the college fraternities. It was stated that the cause of the new rule lay in the fact that so many of the freshmen class had failed in the examinations and were poorly rated in scholarship.

In Barnard College the women's department of Columbia, about two years ago the rule destined by the faculty for the men was put in vogue with splendid result. There was no statement made as to whether the matter was brought up as a faculty proposition or by request of the students. In the case of the Barnard College students it was done by the faculty.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—As far apart as the East is from the West, are the divergent views of the heads of California and Columbia Universities upon the problem of scholarship and the Greek letter fraternities.

On the eastern seaboard Columbia is planning to improve scholarship by requiring certain scholastic tests before students are permitted to become fraternity members according to press dispatches from New York.

In California where scholarship in the State University is at a low ebb among the fraternity members, as admitted by President Wheeler in his recent biennial report, the opposite policy is being carried out. There is no control of the fraternities by the university powers here, the Greek letter men being permitted to work out their own salvation in the matter of scholarship, with advisory rather than compulsory measures on the part of the faculty.

DOES NOT FAVOR PLAN.

Despite the force of statistics at the University of California, which show that the average scholarship record of the fraternity men is below that of the average student, President Wheeler is not in accord with the reported plan of Columbia University to curb the lower class men's activity in fraternity affairs until they have shown a certain degree of scholarship, and maintains that the California plan of self-government among students has come to stay and should prevail, upon its merits.

He is not discouraged because the student who is possessed of means and can enjoy the pleasures of fraternity life is as conspicuous for poor scholarship as he is for quality.

"I have not heard that Columbia has gone so far as to require a certain standard of scholarship before a student is permitted to join a fraternity, so I am in the position of dealing with a hypothetical matter," said President Wheeler today. "But Columbia depends a great deal upon rules. I do not believe in this reported sumptuary method of dealing with fraternities and students. They should be allowed to govern themselves, as has been done here for many years past.

ENCOURAGING RESULTS

"It is true that the record of scholarship among the fraternity members in our university is not gratifying but the institution is working among the societies, through Professor Lincoln Hutchinson dean of the lower division of students and encouraging results are promised."

Professor Hutchinson is also opposed to the plan which is reported to have been instituted at Columbia but does not object to such scholarship requirements if they are imposed by the fraternities themselves.

"Universities should not discriminate among students," said Professor Hutchinson. "Whether a student is a fraternity man should make no more difference to the university than the question of whether he is a Mason. I have not been informed that Columbia has adopted such arbitrary methods, and I doubt that the institution has gone so far."

PRESIDENT BENJAMIN IDE WHEELER.

LAKES-TO-GULF REPORT READY

President to Hear the Result of the Deep Waterway Investigation.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The commission appointed by President Taft to inquire into the practicability of digging the first section of the Lakes-to-the-Gulf deep waterway from Lockport to the Mississippi River, has prepared the draft of a report to be made to the President.

Although General William H. Bixby, chairman of the commission, said the finding would not be made public in advance, it is said the report will be a governmental appropriation from the Lakes-to-the-Gulf waterway is impracticable at this time.

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POPULAR SONG TO BOOST EXPO

"In San Francisco the Fair Will Be Best," Is Oakland Creation.

The following song, entitled "In San Francisco the Fair Will Be Best," was written by Sy Hourison of this city, and the music is by V. Bloom.

San Francisco's got the time the place,
She got the money, too,
To let the world's inhabitants
Where the Panama canal is through;
Her friends she has scat around
To invite he great and the small,
And to show in San Francisco
There is nothing but is small
For the ashes of the past
She raised a city, quiet and great,
As a contrast to all the world
And a pride to the Golden Gate
She has shown her power,
And her great work done,
And from all who have seen it
Loud praises she has won.

Chorus—
Come out to the West to Frisco come,
Come where the people like lots of fun
Come to the place that is sure to cheer,
Come where the climate's the same all the year
Come to San Francisco, take my advice,
Come where the maidens are awful nice,
Come to the land of the Golden West
In San Francisco be fair will be best.

San Francisco is the place,
With pride she can boast;
In the year nineteen hundred fifteen
The world's Paradise she'll host.
No other city in the sun
Can even pipe with her
In the race for this great prize—
The Pan Pacific Fair
Her people are united
With those across the bay,
And with one heart are working
On this project, light and day
To make it one grand big success,
And all who assist her
With gratitude she'll bless.

ALMOST PERISH IN FIERCE STORM

Lives of Three Brothers Are Saved by Patent Cigar Lighter.

OROVILLE, Jan. 14.—Caught in a Bald Rock canyon in a fierce sleet and snow storm for two days narrowly escaping death from exposure to the storm, Ernest Walsh a patron of Oroville found with the bitter cold, chilled through and through and now owes his life to a patent cigar lighter carried by Horace Huse, who with his two brothers, Logan and Howard, accompanied him.

Walsh lies at his home seriously ill and suffering intensely from the effects of the exposure. The Huse brothers withstood the fury of the storm and are in fairly good health.

Hovering around a dismal fire, started by the cigar lighter, without shelter, not even an overcoat, the four men existed during two days in that wild region of the Feather river canyon, the Huse brothers the while doing all in their power to keep life in the almost frozen body of Walsh.

The Huse brothers were forced to carry Walsh on the return to Oroville, and they say that had they not been able to start the fire in the canyon with the cigar lighter that Walsh would have died before being carried to the city.

The men left a week ago for the mountains. At that time the weather was good, and no storm was predicted. No blankets or overcoats were taken, and on Monday the men were caught in the storm.

WILL GIVE GERMAN COMEDY.

The dramatic section of the Oakland Turn Verein will give a German performance tomorrow evening at Germania hall. The play will be "A Perfect Woman," a comedy by Carl Gorlitz. The leading parts are in the hands of Mrs. Johanna Kaiser who has the title role, and Mrs. Julia Hess. The leading male roles will be played by Richard Levy, an able comedian who has many admirers among the German play-goers, and Henry Miller.

PETALUMA MASONS HAVE BIG TIME

Lodge and Eastern Star Chapter Hold Brilliant Joint Installation Exercises.

PETALUMA, Jan. 14.—Last night at the Masonic temple in this city in the presence of a large gathering, the newly elected officers of the Petaluma Lodge No. 140, F. and A. M., and Morning Star Chapter No. 61, Order of Eastern Star were elevated to their respective seats at joint installation. The affair was attended by Masons from all over the state.

The officers of the lodge were installed by Past Master James McFadden as follows:

Worshipful master, J. A. Olmsted; senior warden, Peter Van Bebber, junior warden, E. A. Potter, treasurer, W. T. Spriggen, chaplain, Rev. John Purdue, senior warden, W. D. Thomas, junior deacon, Dr. N. D. Randall, stewards, Carl Plow and B. Bowers, tyler, John Gibson.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies P. J. Shim, on behalf of the Masonic lodge presented the retiring master, James McFadden, with a Masonic emblem.

The officers of the Eastern Star were seated by Past Matron Mrs. M. D. Gosher. They are:

EASTERN STAR OFFICERS.

Worthy matron, Miss Edna Hyde; worthy patron, A. W. Glotzbecker; associate matron, Mrs. Edith L. Gosher; secretary, Miss Mary B. Adams; treasurer, Mrs. Harriet Caron; conductress, Mrs. E. Bowers; associate conductress, Mrs. Lizzie Neal; marshal, Miss Josephine Cleaver; Ruplard, Miss Augusta Hill; organist, Mrs. Anna Hornegg; Adah, Miss Lulu Sess; Ruth, Mrs. Agnes Young; Esther, Mrs. Rosa Kerr; Martha, Miss Grace Allen; Electa, Mrs. Mary Brown; warder, Miss Lizelle Peter; sentinel, J. Olsen.

Mrs. Horwege, who is the district deputy for this district was presented with a handsome jewel, that her husband, who was elected in the office as worthy patron, was given a beautiful seal ring. Attorney W. B. Haskell officiated as toastmaster.

The officers of the Petaluma Tribe No. 149 I. O. O. R., and the officers of the Arona Council, installed last night by District Deputy W. S. Grant of Santa Rosa, were: Hall, F. McNair, A. W. Agnew and R. F. Mattel of Petaluma. Presentations were made to the returning officers. A number of Sebastopol and Santa Rosa visitors were present and enjoyed the banquet which followed the ceremonies.

PAINTER CUTS WIDE SWATH

Falls Heir to Mythical Wealth and Buys Automobiles On Credit.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 14.—M. L. Mason, a painter of this city, who announced last May that his grandfather, George Hopkins of Pocatello, Ark., had died leaving him a fortune of $300,000 was arrested here on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

On the strength of his story Mason obtained clothing of the value of $117. Before his wife burst Mason had purchased two automobiles for $7500 and one for $2700. He also had promised officials of the painters' union $1000 to fit up its quarters in the Labor Temple with mahogany furniture.

Following his arrest, Mason admitted he had no money and that none had been left him.

FOREIGN SHIPS ESCAPE COURT

Government's Trust Suit Cannot Reach Them Under Present Law.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Unofficially it was learned today that the department of justice does not consider that the Sherman anti-trust law is effective enough to enable the government to successfully prosecute the shipping combine named in the government's suit recently filed in New York.

There was a conference at the department with regard to the effect of the framing of law to obviate this or the other objection, and it would be still necessary to file the bill in the form in which it was filed, it was decided that the accused steamship companies be served from America as the ships in these lines and that the steamship companies "Atlantic [illegible] on completion of [illegible] went in receivership [illegible] the new bill, which [illegible] would be [illegible] department of justice [illegible] Attorney General Wickersham approved. He will [illegible] next week.

DISCLAIM GUILT OF BULLION THEFT

Four Suspects in $50,000 Robbery Case Plead Innocence When Arraigned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—"Not guilty" is the plea made today by the five men and one woman who are held to answer for the $50,000 bullion robbery which occurred between Mojave and Saugus on the Santa Fe railroad on January 7. The men, J. P. W. Smith, [illegible] Hamilton, J. P. Wilson and G. W. Woodward, and the woman who are charged with grand larceny.

The case will be before Superior Judge Dunne for pleadings. The trial is set for January 21.

After Fred Floyd, representing the attorneys, had told the court he had a full understanding of the case, the court refused to [illegible] Each defendant was taken [illegible] and each one of them made [illegible] over [illegible] The writ traced [illegible] and finally located in a [illegible] in the Mission district. A portion of the loot was found in the house.

The robbery occurred during the [illegible] of the steamer Humboldt [illegible] September. The gold was removed and a quantity of lead substituted. The loss was discovered at sea and reported as soon as the vessel reached [illegible].

Object to German Taxes on Potash

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The State Department is swamped with letters from farmers and others from all over the country protesting against the action of the German government in [illegible] potash [illegible] consumed as a fertilizer in the United States.

The purpose of the German minister of foreign affairs in Berlin is given as the reason for the delay in securing a response to the proposition of the United States to the German government to consider the subject of the potash tax diplomatically.

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W. E. DARGIE President

California Crop Prospects Bright.

There are copious rains in the valleys and heavy falls of snow in the mountains all over California. Such a heavy precipitation at this season of the year is a sure indication of an abundant crop yield.

An examination of the crop records of the past will show that the big harvests of California have followed heavy rains in the spring, that is, in January, February and March. Heavy rains in November and December have usually been followed by dry weather in the following months—the very time that moisture is needed for grain, orchards and herbage.

The ground is now being so thoroughly soaked and grain and grass given such a start that good crops are sure to result.

The rain now falling is saturating the subsoil and gravel underlying the surface soil, providing a reserve of moisture which plant life can draw upon during the rainless period that is to follow. Abundant water for irrigation will be supplied by the deep snows that are blockading traffic in the Sierra Nevada mountains; also water for the miners. There will be rich feed for stock on the ranges. All in all, the prospects for the present year are very bright. There is only one fly in the ointment. Snow melting in the mountains, coupled with the heavy general rainfall, may flood the low lands in the delta region, to the injury of the asparagus and potato crops grown in that territory.

But it never rains unless it pours, and the laws of meteorology operate without regard to special instances or peculiar conditions, and we must take the goods the gods provide as they are sent. A drouth this year would have been disastrous to California. All fear of that has been happily averted, and if some of the low lands suffer in consequence of so much rain falling at once it is a mutation which must be accepted with philosophy. In the general equation the whole State is enormously the beneficiary.

The bill of Senator Shannahan providing that the State shall furnish textbooks free of charge to all children in the primary and grammar schools is worth considering. It is not a new proposition, but events continue to give it renewed attention. The jobbery in the matter of textbooks is so grievous that some remedy should be applied, though it is not clear that furnishing textbooks free will be a beneficial change. The State has not yet been able to evolve a satisfactory system of textbooks. But one educational reform can be at once instituted by putting an end to the accrediting system at the State University. That system enables the university faculty to prescribe the curriculum of the high schools, and is responsible for the frequent change of textbooks—an imposition on the parents of high school students.

One University Is Enough.

The Los Angeles Herald makes a long plea for the establishment of another State University in the southern section of the State. It makes a plausible argument from a sectional standpoint, but when examined closely it is seen to voice merely a local ambition. The time may come when another State University will be necessary and desirable, but it has not yet arrived. If one is established it should undoubtedly be located somewhere in the southern counties.

But at present the existing university at Berkeley is ample for the needs of the State provided it is fully equipped to meet all requirements. Until it is fully equipped and its maintenance provided for there should be no thought of establishing a similar institution elsewhere. One good university fully equipped and liberally supported is worth half a dozen inadequately provided for.

Two institutions would pull against each other, with the result that the expense to the taxpayers would be greatly increased and neither university would be equipped and maintained on a proper scale.

Berkeley is midway between the northern and southern boundaries of the State, and is in no sense a local or sectional institution. While it is firmly established and has attained a position of great usefulness, it still lacks many essentials. It needs more laboratories and classroom buildings, and many other things to complete its equipment. The change in the tax laws requires legislation to provide for its maintenance. Three of the finest buildings came as private gifts. It owes even the gymnasium to the generosity of a public-spirited citizen of Oakland. It has special funds for research and scholarships that came from private beneficence.

It has been planted with deep foundations on broad lines, but it is still incomplete in physical appurtenances. These should be supplied before there is talk of establishing another university that will be a rival for public support, and will inject partisanship and jealousy in our system of higher education. Berkeley belongs to the whole State, typifies the splendor and glory of the entire commonwealth. Let us not destroy its usefulness by establishing local universities in different parts of the State to draw away the support it should be given.

The Revolution in the Senate.

Another member of the old guard has dropped out of the Senate. Former Governor McLean has defeated Senator Bulkeley in Connecticut. Should Lodge fail of re-election in Massachusetts there would be little of the old guard left. Aldrich, Hale, Dick, Kean, Carter, Depew, Warner and Burrows retire in March next. Senator Elkins died a few days ago and a Democrat will take his place. There will be more new faces in the Senate when Congress assembles next December than has been seen in many a year, for Piles of Washington will be succeeded by a new man. Virginia will send a new man to succeed Senator Daniel, and from Colorado a new man will come in place of Hughes. Louisiana has sent a new man to succeed McEnery.

Death, defeat and retirement have left but a few of the group of men who have for years controlled the Senate. Senator Cullom is old and feeble and so is Senator Perkins. Frye's fighting days are over. As President pro tem of the Senate he is innocuous and non-combative. The fighting men are now on the other side—insurgents or Democrats. The Republican old guard is but a remnant of the disciplined corps that has dominated the upper chamber since March 4, 1896. Beveridge and Bacon are gone also, and Tillman is a physical wreck.

In many respects the Senate of the Fifty-third Congress will be a new body, largely composed of men fresh from the people and animated by ideals and purposes different from those held by the men they will succeed; more radical and less bound by precedent and tradition. Not since the Civil War has there been such a complete break-up of the masterful element in the Senate, such a sudden shift of power into new and untried hands. The last twelvemonth has seen a swift change from the old order.

HARD TO HANDLE

—Philadelphia North American.

Let Sleeping Dogs Lie.

The Fresno Republican says Meyer Lissner has been denounced for being a Jew. That is not true so far as our knowledge goes. Nobody has blamed him because of his race and religion, save, perhaps, some idle scoffers unworthy of serious consideration. Mr. Lissner has not been more sharply criticized than other men who have essayed the role he is now taking. Opposition to his methods is manifestly not inspired by race prejudice. It would have no claim to respect if it were. But by lugging a race and religious issue into the case the Fresno Republican is making a cheap appeal to the race pride of Mr. Lissner's coreligionists. A man of straw has been manufactured for the occasion with intent to raise a question that should never be obtruded in the politics of a people who have builded their institutions on religious liberty and freedom of conscience. As a public man Mr. Lissner is on the same plane and footing as any other citizen—entitled to the same consideration and the same measure of judgment that other men are accorded—nothing more, nothing less. Putting Mr. Lissner's personality aside, it is not fair to our Jewish fellow citizens that suggestions should be thrown out that are calculated to arouse and provoke race and religious prejudice. The passions of the fanatical and ignorant should not be aroused to serve any end, but should be rebuked and allayed when they manifest themselves. It will be time enough to defend Mr. Lissner when he is attacked because of his blood or religion. Until he is so attacked he deserves no defense on that score. To conjure up a spectre as an excuse for entering a defense is to excite the ignoble prejudices of the bigoted and intolerant. For heaven's sake, let race and religion alone in political discussion until they are challenged or obtrude themselves on public attention. All are free men in this country, and one man's religion is as good as another's so far as politics and the law are concerned. No good can come of stirring up feelings that are only to be deprecated and discouraged.

It has been quite a shower to be sure, as Father Noah remarked after the flood.

The man who predicted that this would be a dry year now has reason to doubt his wisdom. He is certainly no prophet.

Senator Chamberlain, Democrat, who floated on the direct primary into the Senate from a Republican State, will have a nice time squaring himself with his constituents in case he votes with his Democratic colleagues to cut down the tariff on wool and woolen goods. Oregon is a great wool-growing State, and while insurgent on many points does not want schedule K interfered with. The wool men of Oregon have been holding meetings to protest against taking the protective duty off wool. They have called on Senator Chamberlain to stand by their industry. On the wool question they are standpatters, and Senator Chamberlain is asked to stand pat with them. Will he do it? Of course. So far as Oregon is concerned he is a protectionist. Outside that State he is a tariff reformer. Still there are others—Senator Works, for instance.

According to report (which, however, is not always trustworthy), Senator Works says he owes his election to Christian Science. This is not giving Meyer Lissner due credit.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

The truth sits on the throne in man's center; man sees what is and what is to be by looking within and not without.

Impure air never feeds the lungs, but it does develop disease, and disease brings death to damn man for mixing dirt into the divine temple-building.

People who give "short-weight" in business generally have to take hot words in return, and misrepresentation in the market gives a "mix-up" in the meeting that follows.

If you fail to be as you do the result of your doing will be your ultimate undoing; you must judge yourself as you truly are, while others will criticise you for what you appear to be.

The hope of a bright tomorrow takes away the gloom of tonight's darkness; we spring with delight into an unknown future because we have hope that is bright and this alone makes us ready for the fight.

This good old world gives its cheering salute to you as you climb to your success through doing your level best—you make history by climbing to higher heights.

Do not try to work out your success by signs and never allow omens to make figures in your life-book—destiny disdains to observe dates.

Political Comment

Whether a real conservative Democratic party can now be maintained successfully in the State of New York is open to serious doubt. That Governor-elect Dix and the members of the Legislature intend to direct the party conservatively if they can seems now pretty clear. That no radical Democrat has made even the attempt of becoming a candidate for United States Senator is proof of the complete rout of radicalism in the Democratic party in this State at the present time.—Albany Journal.

The Democratic majority in the Sixty-second House is bound to have its troubles. It will have to contend with the constant efforts of its own radical elements, assisted by the insurgent Republicans, to repudiate the return to historic Democracy and to push forward the Bryan-Roosevelt policies. The more aid the Democratic legislatures can give the Senate in resisting this Socialistic alliance the more worthy of confidence will the Democratic party appear to the nation in 1912.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

It is announced in Washington that President Taft will be an aspirant to renomination in 1912, ad that he "expects Roosevelt's aid." In view of recent political happenings, however, Roosevelt's aid may be a handicap instead of a benefit. It may result in his defeat instead of his renomination. In all probability he would make a much better showing with Roosevelt against him.—Wilmington Every Evening.

This World's People

Laurance Irving, the actor, recently created a sensation by speaking from the stage on "the unfairness of dramatic critics."

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Miss Angelic Fraser, who just died in London, devoted herself for fifty-four years to making life easier for tailors the world over.

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Would you be shaved by a mayor? Then you must go to High Wycomb, British Isles, where H J Cox combines municipal duties and the tonsorial art.

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The authorities controlling the games at Monte Carlo pay the Prince of Monaco $350,000 a year for the privilege of running them.

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M. Auguste Rodin, dubbed the "master sculptor of the age," recently celebrated his seventieth birthday.

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Queen Amelia, formerly of Portugal, before the revolution issued a semi-royal decree against tight lacing among the women of the kingdom.

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It is said of Captain Adrian Jones, who has designed the four-horse war chariot, weighing upwards of thirty tons, which is to be erected near Hyde Park Corner as a memorial to "Peace," that he is probably the only living sculptor who understands a horse from tail-tip to nostril.

Bachelor Musings

Old Diogenes did his muck-raking with a lantern.

The fellow who is always on the fence doesn't carry much weight.

The beauty of age is sublimely expressed in one thing—motherhood.

A coquette is like a war veteran—she goes through many engagements.

Speaking of bad examples, a school boy says his arithmetic is full of 'em.

Of two evils it is natural to choose the one that is least likely to be found out.

The fellow who is continually in hot water doesn't always have a clean record.

Elastic currency may be all right, but what most people need is the adhesive.

A man seldom has occasion to be ashamed of his associates in a worthy cause.

It is only a matter of time until some chap will discover a way to renature denatured alcohol.

And the advice of a critic does about as much good as the giving of medicine to a dead man.

The world may owe a man a living, but he is generally a mighty poor collector.—New York Press.

BROKEN AT LIFE'S WHEEL

Unworthy of respect he may be, unworthy of consideration, unworthy of sympathy, but the most pitiable spectacle of the streets he surely is—the broken man; pitiable in his seeming hopelessness, his abject misfortune, his tenacity in joyless life, his manifest physical suffering, his apparent mental degradation.

Evidently aimless and without purpose, yet he shuffles along through the crowd—pinched with cold but making no appeal for sympathy and none for help, as far removed from human aid on a busy street as if he were clinging to an ice cake in the Arctic seas.

Possibly it is not the suffering which is the pity. Suffering is a common thing and much of it is nobly endured. More likely it is the waste—the hopeless, wretched waste—of a man. A machine rusting in the field will cause mental unrest.

Here is a machine rusted and wasted in the streets—a human, starved, frozen, and hopeless. He acknowledges that he has no claim on the world. The dusty brown of a shabby hat pulled down on his head is dejection; the blue and red face which shows beneath it is suffering; the fringe at the edges of his worn clothing is poverty; the holes in the frail shoes, destitution.

He is found in Malcolm McDowell's bread line, in the entrances to buildings, in the municipal lodging house, or in the police stations, in the bridewell, in any shelter he can find—and, occasionally, dead on a railroad track or in the snow.

No one to waste sympathy on, assuredly. Certainly no one to waste nickels, dimes or quarters on—unworthy, without a doubt, but great in his ability to sustain misfortune and wonderful in his capacity to carry suffering. Untrustworthy and richly meriting his calamities we may concede, but pitiable as he puts himself in contrast with reliant, successful, competent, active men who march by him on the street.

He is a failure, and that, no matter what the cause, whether by misfortune or lack of character, is sordid tragedy.—Chicago Tribune.

TAGGING HUSBANDS

A tale of cruelty whose ingenuity makes it all the more diabolical comes from New Jersey. The women of the Mosquito State have prepared a bill to be submitted to the next Legislature providing that all married men shall wear thumb rings in order that the world may know their exact social status. Strange as it may seem, this proposition does not come from the maids or widows who have been filmflammed by flirtatious benedicts, but from the wives themselves. According to present plans, the bill will be introduced in the Legislature, if there are any bachelors in that body to farther it and it is said the husbands will have to pass it to keep peace in the family.

It will not be pleasant for the married men to wear rings on their thumbs, of course, but that is better than some of the savage trifles of the earth prescribe for personal adornment. The husbands may congratulate themselves that the law does not provide for nose rings or even earrings.

The thumb has for many centuries been the token, the sign manual as it were, of submission of the authority. Long before Simon said thumbs up and thumbs down and long before the Roman audiences saved or doomed the gladiators by the elevation or depression of the thumb, this member has been of sinister significance and of paramount importance in the family circle. To be "under the thumb" is proverbially to be in a state of subjection, and now for husbands to be hourly and everlastingly reminded by statute of this condition would be tough, to say the least.

A loophole for the sunshine of hope is left the New Jersey married men, however, in the chance that the law may be declared unconstitutional by some tribunal of final jurisdiction, on the ground that it is cruel and unusual punishment, that it does not fit the crime and that no man can be compelled to incriminate, expose or humiliate himself.—Kansas City Journal.

SHOULD DREAMS BE TOLD?

A magazinist writing on the subject of dreams says that they never should be told. "Just as a young painter," he says, "is taught not to portray a luminary on canvas, so a child must be taught not to describe its dreams. Better relate the dullest true story than the most thrilling dream. Is it that our audiences are so in love with reality? Is it that the isolation of a dream, which may be neither shared nor re-effected, leaves the listener's egotism cold? I do not know, but at the mere words, 'dreamed,' you may see your auditor's attention dissolve—neither at his will nor your own—like mist before the sun."

Is it not rather that, in an age of investigation, when psychology as well as other sciences aims at exactness, no respect is felt for dreams? They are the detritus of the mind, the rubbie, the waste, the too intimate and personal debris.

As for the pretention of any dream monger that he and his vagrant sleep thought are prophetic, they are regarded nowadays as absurd in the extreme. For one disturbing or exalting dream which coincides with events there are innumerable ones which have absolutely no sequence in actuality; and those which chance to be anticipatory are so by reason of their relation with probability and the involuntary effort of the sleeping mind to carry on the thought pursued in waking hours. This thought may have been so obscure as hardly to have claimed the thinker's conscious attention, but it was there nevertheless. Once in a great while a telepathic message may be received during sleep, but even if this be the case there is no good excuse, except in the rarest instances, for mentioning the fact.

Dreams, like a large part of the thoughts that scud across the mental sky, are best not mentioned. They are the clippings and cuttings of true and proportioned thoughts, and are no more to be preserved that the stuff we toss into the waste basket or send to the burner.—Chicago Tribune.

"THE WORLD DO MOVE"

The younger generation is striking a gait in all its affairs, from commercial ingenuity to love-making, that is enough to appall the elder of today, to say nothing of the deliberate and sure-footed fathers of old time, if they could revisit the earth.

The news columns have something to say about a young man who did not make up his mind to propose to a certain young woman until the latter had boarded a railroad train, on a journey clear across the continent with an ocean voyage to Europe at the end.

The time having gone by when speech would serve his purpose, he resolved to win her by the telegraph route, and began searching a series of "rush" messages after her.

The number of telegrams sent has been variously estimated, but it is related that the young woman succumbed after a time and that a wedding is now in early prospect.

With one-hundredth part of this young mans' purposefulness the famous Judge who observed Maid Muller as she raked the hay would have had the wife who, clearly, was intended for him, and two families would not have been spoiled by mis-marriages.

Captain Miles Standish, equipped with a sheaf of telegraph blanks, and and the will to use them, need not have called upon John Alden, who was advised to "ask for himself," instead of the backward old soldier whom he came to represent.

There is no limit to the changes that might have been wrought in history if men had possessed the determination, and the equipment, of the young man who has figured in the news columns.—St. Louis Times.

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

Minerva lodge No. 83 of Alameda Degree of Honor of the order of Workmen, has installed the following officers: Mrs Lovejoy, Miss Maggie Ohea, Mrs. McKenzie, Miss Fannie Finley, Miss Lizzie Ohea, Mrs. Jamison, R. H. Ohea, Sam Orr and Mrs. Orr.

Among those who are at present visiting out of town are the following: Mr. and Mrs. J Simmons, Mrs. Charles Nelson and Misses M and G. Nelson, James Adams, Mr. and Mrs J. O Case, Miss Rose Williams, J W Dunlap, C. Zerick, E. S. Dowd, Rev L P Armstrong and Mrs William M. Gregory.

Herman Meese, Sr., John Schumacher and John Harten have filed an inventory of the estate of William Klumpp, deceased, and value his property at $28,062.

Robert Fitzsimmons won the championship belt from Jack Dempsey yesterday at New Orleans by a knockout in the thirteenth round.

County Clerk Crane has revoked the appointment of Samuel Hunter as a deputy county clerk. For the last year Hunter has been acting as clerk of the board of supervisors. J. J. Hanifin, Jr., and Charles Neal are applicants for the position.

The estate of the late Dr. Samuel Merritt, valued at $1,081,126.60, is ready to be distributed to the heirs under the will of the deceased. Among those who will receive bequests are Mrs. Mary Smith and Samuel Smith of Maine, Fred A. Merritt, Almira Merritt, H P Merritt, Stephen W Purrington, Captain C H. Reed, Mrs. T. Fitchelder, Miss M. J McLellan, Miss Rose McSwain, Charles Purrington of Oakland, S. M. Percival of Washington. The Old Ladies' Home of this city will receive $10,000.

A party was held at the home of Mrs. J F. Black in Livermore recently in honor of the birthday of her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Osterhout, and to celebrate the anniversary of the weddings of both Mrs. Osterhout and her sister, Mrs. Howard Black. The large house was filled with guests.

Division Superintendent A. D. Wilder will leave in a couple of days for Mexico to be gone some time. During his absence his position will be filled by J. H. Thompson, assistant superintendent.

Albert G. Garnett has made his final reports as guardian of the person and estate of Thaddeus Eddy Grimes, who has recently attained his majority. The young man will receive property in this city and in San Francisco valued in the neighborhood of $25,000.

Revolts

While certain basic principles cover revolt, there are several phases of rebellion of any sort, all of which must be considered before the result can be judged.

In countries where one season brings cold, revolts are likely to lapse because of lack of food and shelter. But where there is no cold established governments lose this advantage.

Where the people are under high civilization, revolts always face risk of losing support through the commission of excesses by ill-disciplined troops, but in a lower state of civilization, the government loses this advantage.

Moreover, in the semi-barbarous state, regular troops never excel the average population so greatly as, for instance, the regular army in the United States would excel raw rebels, as a fighting force.

Then, too, a highly organized army, with the latest equipment, can thrash ten times its number, while an army which is little better equipped than the rebels may not hold its own.

These are only a few of the principles which apply to all such movements, and to them must always be added knowledge of the temperament and character of the forces engaged.—Butte Inter-Mountain.

It is difficult to get more than 10 cents for a hard luck story.

ROOSEVELT BOOSTS FOR LODGE

Brands Butler Ames' Story of Colliers as a Deliberate Lie.

Sends Message to Speaker of the Massachusetts House From Oyster Bay.

BOSTON, Jan. 14.—Former President Theodore Roosevelt got into the Massachusetts senatorship contest tonight when, in a telegram addressed to Joseph Walker, speaker of the Massachusetts House, he vigorously upheld the cause of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and charged Representative Butler Ames with "falsehood." This telegram, which was sent from Oyster Bay, was called forth by the publication today of an alleged statement by Ames, who is active in opposition to the candidacy of Senator Lodge for reelection. The telegram read as follows:

"Story told by Butler Ames, reported in newspapers as to the alleged conversation between me, Lodge and Newberry about the purchase of colliers is a deliberate and outrageous falsehood. I had no such conversation.

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

AMES' STATEMENT.

Mr. Ames was quoted as saying that Roosevelt, while President, reprimanded Senator Lodge in the presence of Truman Newberry, former assistant secretary of the navy, for an alleged attempt to force the purchase of two colliers by the navy department at a cost of $1,500,000. The public statements credited to Ames says that Roosevelt, after listening to Newberry's explanation, turned to Senator Lodge and said:

"Cabot, I told you not to monkey with these things. Secretary Newberry is absolutely right."

Ames said his information as to the conversation came from Newberry.

DECLINED TO PURCHASE.

Assistant Secretary Newberry refused to buy the colliers," said Ames "It was a clear case of extortion on the part of financial interests in Boston, who had these two boats, the Suffolk and the Tremont, lying idle on their hands at the Fore River yards at Quincy. The boats were to be unloaded on the government at a cost far in excess of their value.

"Senator Lodge deftly engineered the thing through the committee on naval affairs and afterwards had the proposition put through Congress as an amendment to the sundry bill."

After learning of Roosevelt's comment tonight Ames said: "I am neither surprised nor disturbed at my initiation into he celebrated club. I have invented nothing and have not knowingly overstated or misstated the case."

U. S. GOLF CLUB IS AGAINST TRADITION

Decide to Use Schnectady Putter by a Majority of 4 to 1.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The United States Golf Association nailed its flag to the masthead tonight and flung its gauntlet in the face of the ancient and honorable Golf Club of St. Andrews, Scotland, when by a majority of 4 to 1 it highly resolved to rend its own rules in its own way and not ask the consent of any golf club in the whole world.

Two hundred and eighty-one golf clubs of America, forming the active membership of the United States Golf Association, held their seventeenth annual meeting in the Blackstone hotel tonight and after an exciting discussion adopted resolutions amending section 10 of its by-laws to admit the use of the so-called "Schenectady putter," against which the ancient and honorable Golf Club of St. Andrews had legislated last year.

BORAH ENCOURAGED ABOUT HIS PLAN

Sees New Friends for His Popular Election of Senator Resolution.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Several conferences were held at the capital this afternoon by friends of the resolution providing for the popular election of United States senators. The success of Mr. Borah in charge of the resolution when he pressed the question yesterday startled even the warmest champions of this senatorial reform.

It is evident that several senators heretofore supposed to be antagonistic to this resolution have been the handwriting on the political walls of their own states and read aright what would be the result if they opposed that which their constituents desired. Senator Borah is much encouraged over the success of the first day's contest.

NERVES ON A TEAR? YOU TALK TOO MUCH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Women stand little show of curing themselves of nerves and temper, according to Dr. Enrico Serafini of Italy, who says silence is the only cure for neurasthenia and all nervous disorders.

"Nervous depression and neurasthenia are due—it results after different research—" said Dr. Serafini today, "to a tendency to talk too much. Now, to talk does not mean to sound letters, but a mental effort which excites the entire nervous system. The effort of thinking of making up phrases, of listening to and forming arguments with hearers of being attentive to them, of co-ordinating the thread of conversation. All these things intensify a general awakening of the person which finally results in a nervous breakdown.

"Persons who are not loquacious medical records show, have always been remarked for their good health, and this silence is directly related with the first order a doctor gives his patient—that of

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"Hale" blankets are famed for warmth and durability; these are worthy in every way of the "Hale" reputation.

White blankets, 71x82 inches, with pretty colored borders. Sale price, pair, 4.45.

White wool blankets of fine quality, and double bed size. Sale price, pair, 7.95.

White blankets in double sizes; very soft and fleecy; pink or blue bordered. An ultra value at the sale price, pair, 7.45.

Comforters

Double-size comforters in Oriental or floral patterns, with colored borders. Sale price, each, 1.69.

Pillows

Pillows, 22x28 inches, covered with herringbone tick; filled with fine mixed feathers. Sale price, 1.95.

Pillows, 21x27 inches, covered with fine linen tick; filled with goose and duck down. Sale price, 2.25.

Pillows, 22x27 inches, filled with goose down and screen feathers. Sale price, 3.50.

Pillow Cases

Bleached and unbleached cases, made from sheeting remnants. Size before hemmed, 45x36 inches. Sale price, 12½c.

Hemstitched pillow cases; size before hemmed, 45x36 inches. Sale price, 15c.

Sale of

Outing Flannel

26 inches wide; pink and blue striped patterns; for night robes, skirts etc. Exceptional grade, at sale price, yard 7c

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Durable "Hale" Sheets and Sheeting

Bleached sheets for double beds; have seamed centers; size before hemmed, 72x90 inches. Sale price, 39c.

Hale's "Poppy" hemstitched sheets, extra long; size before hemmed, 81x99 inches. Sale price, 89c.

Hale's "Poppy" bleached sheets, extra long; size before hemmed, 81x99 inches. Sale price, 74c.

Extra heavy linen-finished sheets; size before hemmed, 81x90 inches. Sale price, 67c.

Sheeting

Unbleached sheeting, for double beds; 3½ yards wide. Sale price, yard, 25c.

Table Damask

Table damask, all pure linen, 63 inches wide, silver bleached, free from dressing. 65c a yard.

Bed Spreads

Double-size white spreads, fringed; cut corners for brass beds. Sale price, 1.69.

Crocheted bed spreads for double beds. Sale price, 1.00.

Better-than-usual values in bed spreads of better qualities, at sale prices: 2.69, 2.95, 3.95.

Towels

Huck towels, hemmed, slightly imperfect, 17x34 inches, at 7c each.

Bleached bath towels, fringed and red bordered. Sale price, 19c.

Bath towels, bleached and hemmed; 24x47 inches. Sale price, 23c.

Unbleached bath towels, hemmed; 20x39 inches. Sale price, 14c.

Something New! Low Neck or Closed Neck in One Sweater

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A handsome, all-wool sweater coat that fills a long-felt want, affording a collarless low-neck garment for ordinary use and containing convenient and simple device for converting it into a high-collar closed neck and chest garment. The "Hy-Lo" sweater, in red, gray or white. Two styles in one, as illustrated. Has pearl buttons and silk-finished buttonholes. A limited line ready to-morrow. The sweater will be in great demand this winter and spring; buy yours to-morrow.

Ribbons Below Value

Here Are Three Unusual Values at Prices Far Less Than Real Worth —A Rare Offering

20c Heavy Taffeta Ribbon for 15c a Yard—Splendid for hair bows; comes in blue, pink, cardinal, cream, old rose, lavender, navy and black or white.

35c Brocaded Satin Ribbon for 25c a Yard—5 inches wide, heavy quality, designs of dots, rings or squares; blue, pink, white, cream, old rose, lavender, etc.

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Of Italian Lambskin; Very Fine Wearing Gloves at the Price and Particularly Attractive.

Gloves of good quality Italian lambskin, two clasps, self-stitching, well finished and very attractive in appearance, in a special sale at 79c a pair—below real value. Sizes from 5½ to 7½. Come in the popular gray, tan, mode, brown, and black or white. "Seconds," but with defects scarcely noticeable. Soft, pliable and good wearing.

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9.75 Values to 15.00

11.75 Values to 18.75

15.00 Values to 22.50

18.75 Values to 27.50

Second Floor

Sale of Sample Neckwear at ½ Less

Just from their boxes, fresh and crisp; great variety and wonderful values for ½ actual worth. Samples—only one of each style.

15c Each Fancy lace and net stock and jabot, with silk folds and soutache braid; Val. lace stock and cascade effect; net and lace stock, piped with dainty light colors and Persian folds; assortment of black silk tailored stocks with black and white bow and plaited handkerchief ends; Persian or colored silk jabots.

25c Each Many pretty jabots trimmed with rich Persian; fancy jabots finished with pretty roses of ribbon, lace and net; jabots combined with ribbon; dainty lawn tabs with edges of delicate lace; stocks and tabs of sheer lawn—such are a few effects; there are many others.

50c Each Fancy Dutch collars, elaborate stocks in net and lace, jabots of hand-crocheted lace and other effects.

75c Each Fancy stocks and jabots, silk trimmed, silk bows with Persian trimmings, pretty Irish crocheted stocks, etc.

Some Exquisite Effects at 1.00 Each

Main Floor Hale's Oakland Store

A Working Shirt That Is a Winner at 50c

We take pride in offering this soft-collar working shirt; it is the best we know of at this price. Of percale, drill, duck, sateen, Madras, Oxfords, etc., in blues, tans black, etc. Full and roomy, 36 inches long, in all sizes

"Standard" Flannel Shirts—Medium weight, in tan or brown; have patent non-shrinkable collar band. Splendid for warmth and neatness. Button-down collar. 1.50 value at 1.15 each.

Fancy Cream Serge for Spring 65c a Yard

Fancy cream serge for spring suitings, a tasty, attractive, durable fabric, 44 inches wide, with black hairline stripes. Three distinct patterns, every one stunning in effect when made up. 65¢ a yard.

Main Floor

STEAMER DAMARA AGAIN ON TRAMP

Short Career Eventful Through Wreck and Change of Owners.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—With her ownership changed for the third time within five months, it is believed that the British steamer Damara, which was wrecked off Fort Point last August, has at last passed into hands that will retain it permanently. The last purchaser is the Swayne & Hoyt Company, who say they will charter the huge tramp freighter to the firm making the best offer. As the Damara must continue under the English flag, it will not lose its identity as a tramp steamer.

The Damara has had a remarkable career since it was launched on the other side of the Atlantic, less than two years ago. Loaded with 7200 tons of barley for Europe, it steamed from this harbor on August 8, only to meet disaster on the rocks at Fort Point as it headed for sea through a momentary fog. For a time it seemed as if the nearly-new steamer would forever remain pinioned upon the rocks, but after most of the cargo had been lightered and the fuel cast into the sea it was floated and placed in the large drydock at Hunter's Point. Captain William Matson then bought it from the underwriters, but a short time later the Damara was turned over to the Union Iron Works, Matson making, it is said, a good profit on his initial investment of $23,500.

The Union Iron Works then proceeded to make the extensive repairs needed to put the freighter in its old-time condition, the cost being estimated at nearly $200,000. It was said yesterday that this estimate was much too high, as the actual cost will be little over $100,000. In moving the steamer to the small drydock the water poured into its holds so rapidly that it came near again sinking. The price paid by Swayne & Hoyt is said to be about $225,000, though the terms are private. The Union Iron Works retains a small interest.

INSANE MAN NOT TO BE RELEASED

San Francisco Woman Unable to Gain Liberty of Her Brother.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 14.—Judge John D. Shafer handed down an opinion in common pleas court No. 2 refusing to release Howard W. Bowman from the insane department of the Allegheny County hospital, as requested by Bowman's sister, Mrs. Eliza E. B. Peirson, of San Francisco, who procured a writ of habeas corpus and had a hearing in court on the matter a few weeks ago. Bowman was sent to the institution in August, 1908. He was a wealthy California oil operator and shortly before this had signed his property over to his wife.

Mrs. Peirson declared her intention of taking him to live with her in California in case of his release. As to this proposition the opinion states that it appeared that Mrs. Peirson was not of sufficient ability to maintain him, but expected him to support himself in great part.

NEWLY-WED COUPLE EVICTED BY FIRE

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fedderwitz, who were married on Monday evening in the German Lutheran church, East Fifth street, Brooklyn, narrowly escaped with their lives from their new home No. 408 Church avenue, Flatbush, early yesterday morning. The couple were saved by Firemen Carey and Bierton, of Engine Company 140, who took them down a ladder to the street from the burning building.

The fire started on the ground floor, occupied by Joseph Bavly as a cigar store. He rescued his wife and three children. Mr. and Mrs. Fedderwitz got home from their wedding after midnight. They smelled smoke and opened the front windows and gave an alarm. When Carey and Bierton found the couple they were lying on the floor trying to escape suffocation by smoke.

GOURMETS FILLED AT NOVEL BANQUET

National Geographical Society Held a "Dasheen au Gratin" Dinner.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14. — Capital city gourmats were introduced to a new and tasty article of food tonight at the annual banquet of the National Geographical Society in the shape of "Dasheen au Gratin."

Dasheen is a new vegetable discovery tracked by one of the members of the geographical society to its native habitat in the Orient. Other members later located the mealy dasheen in Africa, Madeira and the West Coast of South America. It was transplanted to South Carolina.

The result was satisfactory and so it fell out that at tonight's banquet as a substitute for the potato the dasheen appeared on the menu for the first time at a public function in the United States.

The distinguished guests, who included President Taft, pronounced it a distinct addition to the gastronomic catalogue. Government experts declare they are suffered now that the dasheen can be grown at an immense profit in this country and they will encourage its cultivation. It has a nutty flavor.

Many Tourists Sail on Steamer Sierra

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—When the Oceanic Steamship company's liner Sierra, under command of Captain Houdlette, left the Filbert street wharf bound for Honolulu today, every stateroom was filled. At that there were those desiring to make the trip in the neat little liner, but the ship was filled to the limit. Over half of the passengers were from Southern California. The period of tourist travel is just beginning, and from now on it is expected that the traffic between here and Hawaii will be heavy. The people of the islands are doing everything possible to attract tourists and for some time past have conducted a campaign of advertising. The effect of this is apparent from the fact that both the Oceanic and Matson steamers are booked with big passenger lists for the next few trips.

SOCIETY SINGER IS WEDDED IN SECRET

Miss Rogers Becomes Mrs. Kurtzman After the Big Charity Show.

When another singer was substituted in the role assigned to Miss Louvia Rogers in the benefit given by the Ladies' Relief Society at the Macdonough Theater, last Tuesday none of the friends of the contralto suspected that the change had been made because she was on her honeymoon.

Her marriage last Sunday to L. T. Kurtzman, a merchant, has just been announced.

Mrs. Kurtzman has been prominent in the musical circles of Berkeley and the bay region for several seasons. She appeared in "As You Like It," given in the Claremont hills recently, and has taken part in a number of entertainments staged for charitable purposes.

As she was studying for the professional stage, the announcement of her wedding in San Francisco caused a surprise.

Following a short tour, the Kurtzmans will make their home in San Francisco.

"HOW OLD IS PUSSY?" THIS JURIST ASKS

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Jan. 14.—"How old is a cat when it is young?" and "What is the natural life of a cat?" Mark E. Couch propounded to probate Judge Edward T. Slocum there and similar questions in a petition asking for an interpretation of the will of the late Mary J. Cross.

The will, written by Mrs. Cross herself, provides for the "food and kindly care" of Teddy, her pet cat, "during his natural life" and "should he die young I desire the interest given to the Boston Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

At the end of ten years the principal is to go to three nieces, whoever cares for the cat.

$50 A MONTH IS NEEDED IN PARIS

Woman Philanthropist Tells of Requirements to Live in the French Capital.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Ada Leigh Lewis, founder of a chain of homes in Paris for American and English girl students and workers, is in the city to discuss with several American women, plans for the guidance and protection of young girls who go to Paris to study music and art.

It is understood that Mrs. Collis P. Huntington, Princess de Sagan and a number of other noted American women living in Paris are actively interested in this work and others here, including women like Miss Helen Gould and Miss Anne Morgan, are disposed to give it assistance.

Mrs. Lewis said today: "A young girl should be possessed of health, a good education, a strong moral sense and an assured income of $50 a month if she wishes to study in Paris."

State Highways Act Considered at Capitol

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 14.—Fifty-seven delegates from 37 counties of Northern California met this afternoon in the city hall to consider provisions and proceedings of the state highways act. A resolution was adopted whose purpose is "to the end that the fund of $18,000,000 shall be so applied as to insure the earliest state-wide and state-length fulfillment of the wishes of the voters, as expressed in that act."

The resolution urges the state authorities in whose hands rests the fulfillment of the act to select and adopt the routes of the highway system and begin its construction at the earliest possible time. It also asks that the highway be divided into sections and the work begun simultaneously on all sections.

Judge James F. Farraher of Yreka was chairman of the resolutions committee, T. B. Gibson of Woodland chairman of the meeting and Mayor W. W. Barham of Yreka secretary.

FORTUNE ELUDES HIM; TAKES LIFE

Chinese Gambles Last of Money, Then Blows Out His Brains.

With the turn of the last card in a game of chance and with not sufficient spots on the evening draw of the Chinese lottery to make him a winning, Chin Ngow, a Chinese gambler, 45 years of age, left the tables in a resort at 357 Eighth street shortly after 10 o'clock last night and going to a room above blew out his brains with a 38-caliber revolver.

For nearly half an hour pandemonium reigned in the quarter following the suicide, as the shot was heard throughout the district. Other habitues of the place hastened to the room from whence a faint streak of smoke was curling through a half-closed door and found the body of Chin stretched out upon the floor. The police were summoned and Detective Quigley investigated the affair, cause for which was attributed directly to the victim's own actions.

Chin was well known among the local Chinese and has lived for some time by following the ups and downs of one who takes a chance. Lately luck has been against him and it is stated that he staked his pittance upon dame fortune last night, with the result that in his extremity she failed him and he took his life rather than continue the struggle.

Boy Injured Diving Into Swimming Tank

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Eddie Love, son of one of the matrons of the city prison, was painfully injured today while diving in the baths in the Young Men's Christian swimming tank. The boy was playing tag with companions and jumped off one of the platforms into the water. As he left the platform his foot was gashed by copper bindings and a deep wound was inflicted. Love was treated at the Central Emergency hospital.

PRINCE OF MONACO LIKELY TO LOSE THRONE

Subjects Declare His Proposed Constitution Will Accomplish Ruin of Monarchy.

Ruler Must Make Concessions or He Will Be Deposed and Exiled.

PARIS, Jan. 14.—"The constitution which the Prince of Monaco deigns to grant is the work of exploiters of the principality wishing to consummate the ruin of the country," declares L'Eveil, the national organ of Monaco interests. This sums up the opinion of the citizens of the tiny nation imbedded in the southern coast of France, respecting the document finally accorded in answer to their protests that they are subjects of the last absoluate monarchy in Europe.

"The whole thing is a farce," said M. De Payan, vice-president of the Monacan committee in Paris, to your correspondent today. "The prince reserves absolute control over everything as heretofore.

"What is going to happen? The delegates of the municipal committee have returned to Monaco and will tell how they were treated by the prince. Monday or Tuesday the committee will meet, refuse the constitution and issue a public manifesto calling on the citizens not to vote on the appointed election day unless the constitution is modified as to the demands of the voters. Then if the prince does not concede the demands the committee will announce that it will no longer be responsible for what may happen."

"Do you believe that France will permit a republic?"

"Certainly. We have a strong alliance with the Radicals in the French Chamber of Deputies."

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M'VEAGH ASKS DETAILS OF ALLEGED DISCRIMINATION

State Mineralogist Aubury to Forward Information; Acts in Conjunction With Industry League

Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the Treasury Department, has written a letter to State Mineralogist Aubury for details regarding discriminations against California building material by the supervising architect of the department. These details will be forwarded by Aubury to Washington. Thereby the basis will be supplied for an investigation that may have important consequences. A mass of data has been collected by the State mineralogist, derived from personal investigations, from written communications sent by producers of California material and, from other sources, illustrative of the discriminations complained of by the State mineralogist.

Aubury, acting in conjunction with the Home Industry League of California, and with the sanction of the League, recently addressed a letter to the President of the United States, and alleged that California material had not been given a fair chance when plans and specifications were prepared in the office of the supervising architect for public buildings to be erected in California. This letter has been sent by President Taft to the Secretary of the Treasury Department and from this has followed the request for details.

PERIOD OF PROTEST.

The period of protest against discrimination has already covered several years. Letters have been written by Aubury in several instances to the supervising architect; and, on repeated occasions the California delegation in congress has been asked by the State mineralogist to ascertain what could be done, that California might be put upon an equality in all cases, and that it might be given the preference in the construction of public buildings in this State, in the matter of building materials which it is competent to supply. The congressmen have taken the matter up at Washington as requested, but as discrimination, so Aubury alleges, has been manifested in public buildings recently proposed or constructed, it was thought best to take the matter directly to the President of the United States.

"I have the facts," so said Aubury yesterday. "I shall be very glad to furnish them to the Secretary of the Treasury, who has written a very courteous letter in this connection. The producers of home materials in California will, unquestionably, supply much information that has never been made public for they will realize that the time has arrived when they can make their contentions known under conditions favorable to a fair and full consideration of the entire matter.

PLEASED AT OUTLOOK.

"I am very much pleased at the outlook for a hearing, which is all that is necessary to show the general public and the officials at Washington that complaints have not been made without justification; also to illustrate that the interests at stake, in this State, are very large; more than that, California resources will be largely advertised, and it will be shown that we have ample building materials, of home origin, to construct all buildings that will be required, and that they are entirely first-class in durability and beauty and adaptability to building uses, and that they exist in this State in practically unlimited quantities, and that they are distributed throughout the length and breadth of the State. The preparation of details to be forwarded to the Treasury Department in support of the allegations that have been made will begin at once. The showing will be conclusive.

The text of Secretary MacVeagh's letter to Aubury is as follows:

"In a communication to the President you state that you will be glad to furnish details in relation to instances which you regard as discriminations against California building materials. I shall be glad to receive from you such details."

WOULD RE-ELECT MAYOR M'CARTHY

Labor Union Leaders Across the Bay Start Campaign for Fall Election.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan. 14.—The first guns of the coming fall campaign have been fired in behalf of Mayor P. H. McCarthy by organizations of his friends and well wishes in the Thirty-third District who desire to see him re-elected as mayor of San Francisco.

The principal association, called the P. H. McCarthy Central Club of the Thirty-third District, has as its president Patrick Broderick, who recently resigned as a member of the Board of Works. William A. Newsom, Board of Works commissioner, appears as treasurer, and the personnel of officers and members embraces many other names equally well known in the Union Labor movement.

SEEKS IMPROVEMENTS.

It is announced that the policy of the club during the coming year will be to co-operate with the improvement clubs of the Thirty-third with the object of assisting them to secure needed improvements in their territories.

In addition to Broderick and Newsom the officers are: Frank Ambrose, first vice-president; B. Burns, second vice-president; R. Forbes, recording secretary; F. W. Kirby, financial secretary.

Organization was effected at 3307 Mission street, Thursday night, at a meeting marked by a large attendance and plenty of enthusiasm. About 150 members signed the roll.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The executive committee, selected one from each precinct, is as follows:

Precinct No. 1, P. Doherty; No. 2, Charles Fleishman; No. 3, J. Charcho; No. 4, H. J. Landwehr; No. 5, William McKune; No. 6, E. J. Rutledge; No. 7, M. J. Ryan; No. 8, P. J. Amrock; No. 9, M. Keating; No. 10, Thomas Carrick; No. 11, J. Dhu; No. 12, Frank Hanbridge; No. 13, C. Caputo; No. 14, J. Ryan; No. 15, J. J. Moynahan; No. 16, Chas. Eisenhunt; No. 20, E. Fitzpatrick; No. 21, F. Hite; No. 22, B. C. Lynch; No. 23, Ed Burke; No. 24, D. Dudd; No. 25, W. Seagrave; No. 26, Gustav Mallard; No. 27, P. Bollenberg; No. 28, Daniel Callaghan; No. 29, Thomas Grant; No. 30, J. F. Burke; No. 31, James Hill; No. 32, George Parle; No. 33, Theodore Gray; No. 34, E. Young; No. 35, Joseph Hall.

Candian Lads to Attend Naval College

MONTREAL, Jan. 14.—Under the direction of Captain Martin, senior naval officer, and B. S. Hartley, director of studies, the Canadian naval college will, on January 19, begin the instruction of future officers of the dominion's navy. The first class in the new naval school has enrolled with a membership of twenty-one midshipmen. The naval building in the dock yard has been temporarily fitted with lecture rooms for the use of the students.

ASKS REASON FOR FRANCHISE GRANT

Earl S. Bingham Addresses an Open Letter to President of City Council.

The following communication has been addressedto President B. H. Pendleton of the city council:

"Mr. Benjamin H. Pendleton, President of the Common Council of the City of Oakland, State of California, 1308 Webster Street, Oakland, Cal.—Sir: I see by the reports of the proceedings of the council that you are advocating the granting to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company a franchise on Seventh street for a period of fifty years, and as a resident and taxpayer I take the liberty of asking you some questions relative to this matter which I consider pertinent and which I trust you will not consider impertinent.

"As the situation now stands the efforts of yourself and colleagues to grant this franchise to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company for a period of fifty years seem to be blocked by certain of your colleagues who maintain that the charter overwhelmingly endorsed by the citizens of Oakland at the recent election will not permit of a franchise being given to any corporation for a period exceeding twenty-five years, and you and your colleagues propose that a special election be held in the city of Oakland to determine whether or not your council shall grant this franchise for fifty years.

NO PROVISION.

"If I am not mistaken there is no provision in the present charter calling for the submission to the people of such a question as this. I judge this to be the case, in view of the fact that your council, against the earnest protests of a large number of reputable citizens, granted a franchise to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company on Front street and made a grant of the water front without submitting the question to the people, and until it was found to be impossible for yourself and colleagues to grant this franchise on Seventh street I heard no mention of this provision in our present charter to submit such a question to the citizens.

"I am not contending that the submission of such a question to the citizens would not be a proper course under other circumstances, but I do question the necessity of this proceeding as the question in this instance has already been determined by the adoption of a clause in the new charter which awaits but the act of the legislature to become the law of this city; and further, by calling such an election your council would be putting into operation this provision of the new charter to determine a question which said new charter has already determined, which is, the length for which a franchise shall be granted; especially in view of the fact that this special election would cost presumably not less than $10,000 of the citizens' money.

ANOTHER QUESTION.

"If you believe that the citizens of Oakland did not know their own minds when they voted for the charter containing the provision that no franchise should be granted for a period of more than twenty-five years, as is evidently your attitude in this instance, then is not the question that should be submitted to the people at this proposed special election, not, should the Southern Pacific Railroad Company be granted a franchise for fifty years, but, shall the clause in the charter specifying that no corporation be granted a franchise for more than twenty-five years be retained or rejected? You certainly would not contend that the Southern Pacific Railroad Company should be given an advantage over any other corporation in the length of the period of its franchise.

"As the Seventh street franchise does not expire for some months, the question has been asked, why this zeal on the part of yourself and colleagues to grant this franchise at this time? Presumably the answer is found in the fact that the approval of the legislature now in session will make the new charter a law under which the franchise could not be granted for more than twenty-five years. In other words, it seems quite clear that yourself and colleagues are determined to grant the franchise now that you may give the Southern Pacific Railroad Company an additional twenty-five-year franchise.

DOUBT AS TO REVENUE.

"The revenue offered the city in return for this franchise does not seem to be such as to warrant the violation of the provision of the new charter, and I should like to have you state through the public press why you consider the granting of this fifty-year franchise so imperative. It cannot be that you have any reason to believe that the councilmen elected under the new charter will not have the business judgment and integrity of yourself and colleagues and will be less qualified to enter into an agreement with the railroad company.

"There must be some reason, some very strong reason, why you feel it is necessary that this franchise should be granted before the provisions of the new charter are in effect, or you would not jeopardize your high standing in this community by attempting to force through this franchise. What these reasons are, I believe, the citizens of Oakland have a right to know, and you, in justice to yourself, should state them in the public press before the next meeting of the council. Respectfully,

"EARL S. BINGHAM."

ELIMINATES MANY ACRES IN MODOC

President Takes 70,967 Acres From National Forest; Adds 182,050.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The president has signed a proclamation eliminating 70,857 acres from the Modoc National Forest, California, and adding 182,050 acres. These changes are the result of a careful field examination made by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in pursuance of a general plan for the correction of all national forest boundaries.

The eliminations comprise a number of areas adjacent to the exterior boundaries of the forest which were found upon examination either to be heavily alienated or to be not suitable for national forest purposes on account of having no stand of timber.

The largest and most important addition comprises the Hayden Hill region southeast from Big Valley and south from Adin. Another addition is made northwest from Pittville and one south from Canby. A narrow strip of exceedingly rough country is added to the southeastern portion of the Warner mountains division southwest from Middle Lake.

The unappropriated portions of the lands eliminated by this proclamation will be restored to settlement and entry after they shall have been advertised in the local papers by the secretary of the interior.

WOMEN VOTERS HOLD CONGRESS

Representatives of Four States Meet in Tacoma and Organize National Council.

TACOMA, Jan. 14.—The first meeting of the National Council of Women Voters, called by Governor Brady of Idaho, was held in this city today. Mrs. Emma Smith Devoe of this state was chosen president. Taking part in the deliberations were state representatives of Washington, Utah, Wyoming, Idaho and Colorado.

In organizing the delegates followed a plan worked out by Governor Brady. It was decided that each state should have a vice-president of the national organization who should be that state's representative on the national board and head of the state organization. Other officers elected were Harriet G. Wright of Colorado, first vice-president; Mrs. Leona Cartee of Idaho, recording secretary; Mrs. Bertha K. Kittleson of Tacoma, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank Shiek of Wyoming, treasurer, and Mrs. McMann of Utah, auditor.

Governor Brady, in the course of his remarks in opening the meeting, said that the convention represented 400,000 enfranchised women and that it was for them to work for the granting of similar rights to their sisters in the other states of the union. He outlined for them a plan embodying the studying of local conditions in each state so that the most effective campaigns could be waged

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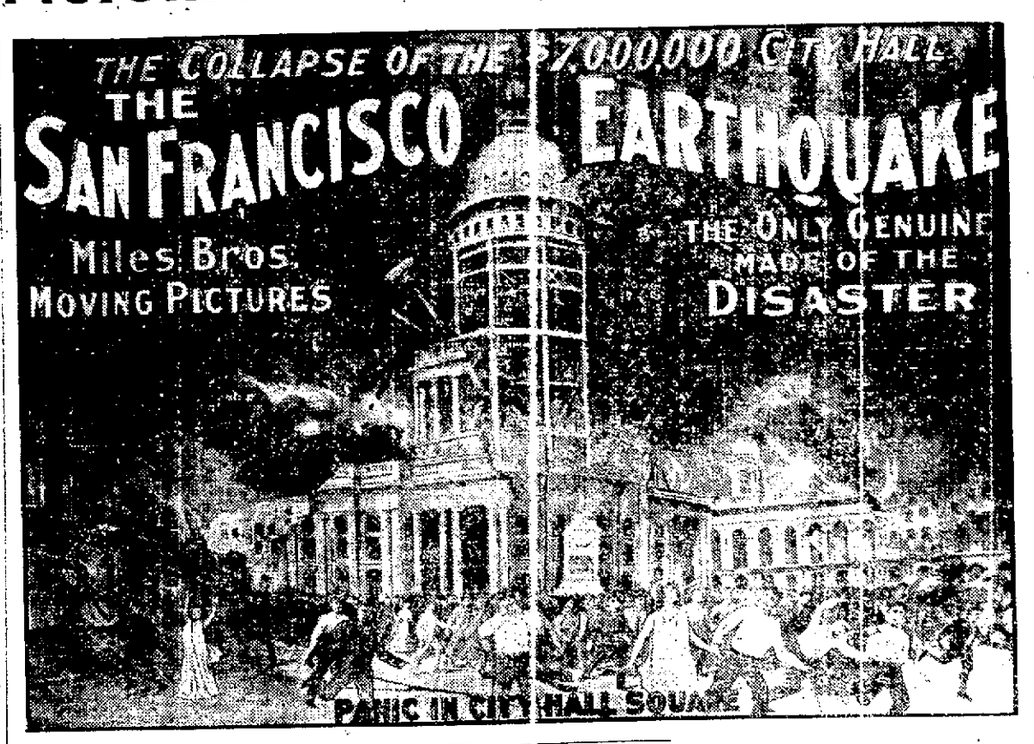


To Be Shown at the Bell Theater All This Week, Beginning Matinee Today

The Miles Bros. Motion Picture Company of San Francisco have prepared for the use of the Bell Theater a film over 1200 feet in length depicting scenes in and about the city of San Francisco at the time of the great disaster. These negatives were taken while the fire was raging and immediately after and show, as many will remember, the exact conditions that prevailed at that time. The dynamiting of the City Hall and other buildings is shown, together with a complete story in picture form of the events immediately following the catastrophe of the century.

The Bell Theater has paid a large amount for the use of this film and it will be shown in conjunction with the regular bill at the Bell beginning this afternoon.

Admits Guilt While Handling Own Case

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—John Thode, who conducts a grocery store at Noe and Twenty-third streets, and who was charged with selling liquor to a minor child, told Police Judge Shortall this morning that he was able to defend himself without the assistance of a lawyer.

When the youth who claimed that he was sold the liquor took the witness stand and testified Thode explained to the court thus:

"That isn't the boy, your honor. The boy I sold liquor to was a good deal smaller than this boy."

Thode was found guilty as charged.

Appealing Vagrant Must Go to Prison

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—In the hope of having his ninety-day sentence for vagrancy reversed in the superior court, James Gordon today appealed from the police court. Judge Dunne affirmed the action of the lower court. The judge remarked that mere vagrants should be collected by the police and given similar sentences.

CHECK BAD: WARRANT OUT.

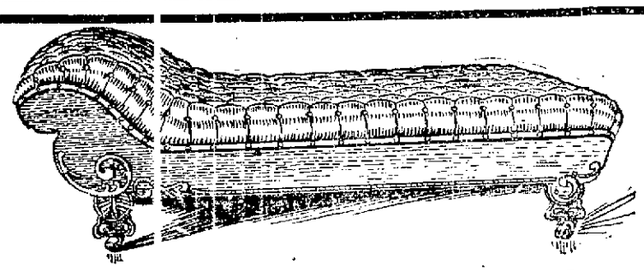
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—A warrant was issued today for George A. Herrick on a charge of passing a bad check for $35. The complaint was sworn to by George H. Perry.

German Paper Admits Right to Fortify Canal

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—Dealing with the question of the fortification of the Panama canal by the United States government the Morgen Post in an editorial says the United States undoubtedly is entitled to fortify under existing international law and that fortification is imperative because the canal would inevitably be the chief object of attack in the event of war.

WOMAN SUFFRAGIST LOBBYISTS.

TOPEKA, Jan. 14.—Of thirty lobbyists who had registered at the office of the secretary of state last night, were women who declared their intention of working for woman suffrage.



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This will illustrate our values in Dining Chairs. Several high grade sets to close out at big reductions. This one solid oak, box seat diner, early English or golden oak, to close at $1.95 each.

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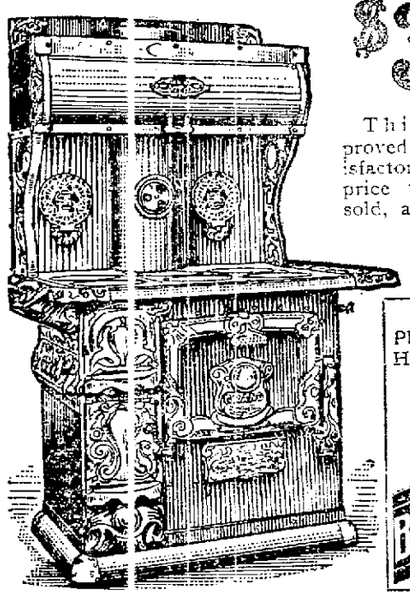

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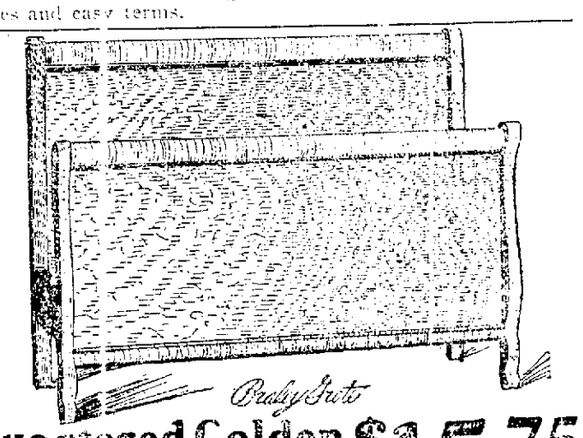

Quartered Golden Oak Napoleon Bed $15.75

A few high grade full suites at clean-up prices, and many odd Beds, Dressers and Chiffoniers. This quartered golden oak, full size Bed is excellent value at $20.00, but the sale price, $15.75.

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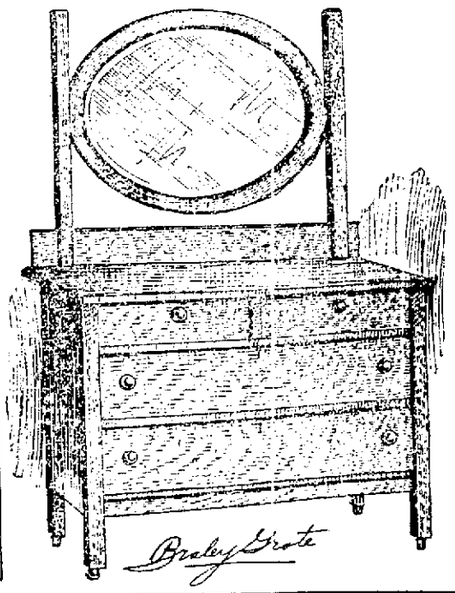
Large base 44x21 inches; two large and two small drawers with the latest wood pulls; genuine French plate glass 30x24 inches; straight mission lines; a Dresser that is worth $33. Clean-up price $22.00. Same with oval glass. Dozens of other Dressers at clean-up prices.



TALKS on TEETH

BY REX DENTAL CO.
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PROMINENT TELEPHONE MAN PRAISES ALVEOLAR TEETH

One of the most difficult cases of teeth restoration that ever came to us was that of Mr. Wm. P. De Laney, of 823 Fifty-sixth street, Oakland. Mr. De Laney has been prominent in telephone circles for many years past. A victim of Pyorrhea (Riggs' disease of the gums) for many years, he had come to the point where he must—as he thought—have the few loose roots pulled out and wear plates in both upper and lower jaws.

A year ago he noticed one of our advertisements calling attention to a case of a prominent manufacturer in this city, who had just been fitted with a full set of Alveolar teeth by the Rex Dental Co.—and as the case was so like his own he determined to investigate it, and did so.

We gave him the names of several patients of our, the gentleman mentioned above among them.

He spent several days in looking up these parties and talking with them, and after so doing decided to have the work done.

It was a desperate case.

We had literally nothing to work on except some loose roots.

The result after the work was done was a triumph to the Rex Dental Co's original Alveolar Method, for Mr. De Laney has as good a set of teeth, upper and lower, as he had originally—and is able to use them with as much satisfaction and comfort.

Read the following letter from him:

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 29, 1910.

Rex Dental Company,
80 Bacon Bldg.,
Oakland, Cal.

Gentlemen:

When we find something good we want the world to know about it. For a while we try every new thing, but there comes a time when we find the good thing we have been searching for, and then, if we are wise, we hold to it.

For years I was searching for this good thing in dentistry. My teeth were affected with pyorrhea (loose teeth). In traveling about the country in connection with my business interests I consulted with many eminent dentists for the treatment of the disease, but I received no encouragement from anyone of them. On all hands the advice was: the same "Have the loose teeth extracted and wear plates." This course, however, was so contrary to my feelings and hopes in the matter that I forbore to act upon the advice.

To make the story not too long, the Rex Dental Company did for me what I hoped to have done—they cured a severe case of pyorrhea and gave me, by their excellent Alveolar Method, the most modern and satisfactory restoration in dentistry. I use putting my mouth in actually better condition than it could boast thirty years ago.

What the Rex Dental Company accomplished for me is my great comfort and satisfaction, and I am willing and enthusiastic for everyone to know just what can be done in dentistry and how well pleased I am.

Very truly yours,
WM. P. DE LANEY,
823 55th St., Oakland, Cal.

It is just such practical demonstrations as these that are filling our offices in Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, Stockton, Fresno and Sacramento with victims of poor teeth, or missing teeth, and causing the fame of this wonderful work to be carried to the four corners of this continent. No man or woman will wear a plate or a painful "bridge" when, by this improved Rex Dental Co's Alveolar Method, the missing teeth can be supplied and the mouth kept free from a mouthful of rubber.

With the Rex Dental Co's Alveolar Teeth you can chew and masticate the food with perfect success. They look natural and feel natural.

The process calls for no cutting into the gums—no pain, no discomfort, and, once in, these teeth will be as firm as a rock.

No food can get under the teeth.

You can crunch up hard candy, eat corn off the cob, chew beefsteak—in short you will have a real set of teeth and no one need ever know you have lost those nature gave you in the beginning.

We will be glad to send a list of 100 or more names of patients (who have given their consent for us to refer to them) in this city and state whom we have cured of Pyorrhea, or replaced their missing teeth with Alveolar teeth, or both.

Send for Rex Dental Co.'s "Alveolar Dentistry," which tells all about the Alveolar Method. We send it free.
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FIGURES SHOW CENSUS INCREASE

Population Grows in the United States Cities of the Smaller Class.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14. — Oregon cities having a population of more than 5000 contributed 5.5 per cent of that State's total increase of 258,220 in the last decade. Portland's increase was 8.1 per cent of the total increase of these cities, and 36 per cent of the State's total.

Statistics of the cities of more than 5000 issued today shows seven, an increase of four since 1900. Most of them showed large increases. Medford heads the list with 893.5 per cent; Eugene with 178.8 per cent; Portland, with 128.2 per cent and Ashland with 90.8 per cent. None of the cities showed a loss.

In Utah there are only four cities having a population in excess of 5000. They contributed 55.1 per cent of the State's total increase of 96,607. Their increase was 66.4 per cent over the population of 1900. Their percentage of increase was: Salt Lake City, 73.3; Ogden, 56.8; Provo, 44.8, and Logan, 38.2.

Nevada has only one city of more than 5000 population. It is Reno which increased 141.4 per cent in the decade.

DEATH IN ROARING FIRE.

may not result from the work of fire-bugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklin's Arnica Salve, the quickest, surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at Osgood Bros.'

Excursion Rates to the Winter Carnival at Truckee.

Commencing January 17th to February 4th, excursion tickets will be sold from Oakland, San Fransico, San Jose, Tracy, Stockton, Yolo, Marysville, Summit and intermediates, including branch line stations and Oroville branch, at one fare and one-third, good for ten days from date of sale. For further information see Southern Pacific Company's agents.

HERR MAX KOHLER, the celebrated maker of artificial eyes, will visit Oakland February 12, 13 and 14, making headquarters at Chinn-Beretta Optical Company.

CALIFORNIA'S OIL RESOURCES INDICATE A SPLENDID FUTURE

M. L. Requa, Mining Engineer, Sets Forth in an Able and Comprehensive Review, the Wonderful Development and Great Importance of Industry to the State

(By M. L. REQUA, Mining Engineer).

Following are excerpts taken from an address on "The Oil Resources of California," delivered before the mining association of the University of California by Mr. M. L. Requa, mining engineer:

Well-defined geological conditions in the oil belt of California show that the production occurs in sedimentary rocks, generally of the tertiary age, and in sand stones, shales and conglomerates. The fields are in localities where there has been more or less folding and faulting, the outcrops, as a rule, being indicative of what may be expected in depth, while the formations are proof positive of the commercial qualities of the oil.

Between the Coalinga field on the north and the Fullerton field on the south are large areas within which it is quite probable that oil will be found in commercial quantities, but to the north of Coalinga there has as yet been no development giving promise of any large production. * * * Wells have been drilled in Alameda, Contra Costa, Colusa, Sonoma, Marin, Humboldt, and other northern counties, with varying success, so that those in the industry are now looking almost exclusively to the area bounded by Coalinga on the north and Fullerton on the south for the best results * * * The fields within this area may be tabulated in districts as follows:

Location of Producing Field

District and Name of Field.	Approx. Acreage	Probable Additional Oil Acreage	Total.
San Joaquin Valley—			
Coalinga	20,500	2,500	23,000
Kern River	6,980	2,780 plus	9,760
McKittrick	2,370	3,840 plus	6,690
Maricopa Sunset	10,100	9,920 plus	20,000
Midway	22,960	64,400	87,360
Coast—			
Santa Maria & Lompoc	15,500	55,000 plus	70,500
Others covering areas of low productivity per acre	138	7,500	8,690
Southern—			
Fullerton-Whittier, Puente and Olinda	4,760	36,120 plus	42,880
Others covering areas of low productivity per acre	21,040	60,940	81,280
Totals	114,738	245,560	360,098

The Midway field, it will be noted from the above, produced 1,860,000, as against only 2,224,000 for the entire year of 1909. These sudden changes are not uncommon in the industry and are the main reason for the fluctuation in price.

None of the fields are located at any very great distance from tidewater. The fields in Los Angeles approach within five miles of the ocean, and at the most remote point are not over twenty-five miles distant. In the vicinity of Ventura from fifteen to thirty miles will cover the nearest and greatest distance, and Santa Maria is not over fifteen miles from the sea. In the valley fields the pipe line distances are as follows:

Kern River to Port Harford, 150 miles; Kern River to Port Costa, 285 miles; Midway to Port Harford, 115 miles; Coalinga to Monterey, 104 miles, and Coalinga to Port Harford, 110 miles.

Proximity to Ocean

Herein lies the greatest advantages enjoyed by the California oil fields. Proximity to ocean transportation places California oil in a position which permits of its distribution over a wide territory and opens to it markets that under less favorable transportation would be entirely beyond reach. In fact, it is not overstating the case to say that ocean transportation gives to California oil its greatest value, in that it permits its distribution over wide areas at low cost.

The contents of the probable oil lands of California in barrels of forty two gallons, according to the United States Geological Survey, is a minimum of 5,000,000,000 and a maximum of 5,800,000,000, or one-half of the entire minimum possible production of the United States. Of the possible maximum, California may produce one-third. The total area of oil land in the United States is, roughly, 8450 square miles, California being credited with 850 square miles, or slightly more than one-tenth of the total area.

Relative Importance of Fields

The relative importance of California fields as a point of distribution is shown by the following table giving the production by fields for the year 1909:

District—	Barrels
Coalinga	15,400,000
Kern River	14,508,2[illegible]
Santa Maria, Lompoc and Arroyo Grande	8,080,4[illegible]
McKittrick	5,807,2[illegible]
Fullerton-Brea Canyon	4,272,0[illegible]
Salt Lake District	3,821,2[illegible]
Midway	2,234,4[illegible]
Sunset	1,998,8[illegible]
Whittier	818,8[illegible]
Los Angeles	550,9[illegible]
Newhall and Santa Paula	510,7[illegible]
Summerland	96,8[illegible]
Watsonville and Sargent's	63,7[illegible]
Puente	38,0[illegible]
Total	58,191,7[illegible]

Yield 75,000,000 Barrels

Although complete figures are not yet to be had for the year 1910, this total has probably approximated 75,000,000 barrels. The increase came almost entirely from Midway, Sunset and Coalinga, following being the latest figures of the output:

Field.	Total Wells Producing.	Total Production for Month.
Coalinga	600	1,612,893
Midway	247	1,860,322
Kern River	1,582	1,261,000
Sunset	128	828,052
Santa Maria	123	270,520
McKittrick	108	575,[illegible]
Fullerton Brea Canyon	284	[illegible]
Salt Lake	255	2[illegible]
Whittier-Coyote	140	1[illegible]
Lompoc	20	65,[illegible]
Santa Paula	248	41,[illegible]
Los Angeles	416	28,[illegible]
Newhall	71	14,[illegible]
Summerland	141	6,[illegible]
Puente	54	2,[illegible]
Watsonville	3	2,[illegible]
Arroyo Grande	2	[illegible]
Totals	4,569	7,368,321

California Comparisons

Excluding California, there is a yield of approximately 1000 barrels of oil per acre in the United States as a minimum and something slightly over 2000 as a maximum. Contrast this with the estimated California production of a minimum of 8000 to a maximum of over 100,000 barrels per acre, and you have a fairly satisfactory comprehension of the relative productivity, acre for acre, of the California lands as compared with similar land in other parts of the United States. It is safe to say in this connection, therefore, that provided the probable and possible territory in California in any way approximates in ultimate yield the known areas, California will yield far in excess of the maximum quantity allowed by the United States Geological Survey.

Large Investments Safe

Because of uncertainties as to the exact location of edge and bottom water, any deductions as to the ultimate production of oil in California are not susceptible of any very accurate expression in figures. There is, however, a sufficient production to guarantee the safety of the large investment necessary to make the oil a commercially available product and give to the industry an assurance of stability, profit and long life. * * * There are many localities showing sands from 100 to 300 feet in thickness. In the east field of Coalinga 4000 to 5000 feet have been penetrated, and in Fullerton wells have been driven through not less than 1000 feet of oil-bearing formation. Of this 1000 feet in Fullerton it is hard to say exactly what portion is actually oil-producing, but it is believed the majority of the formation so penetrated is oil-bearing. In West Virginia five feet of pay sand is considered a safe estimate in good producing territory. This is considered sufficiently liberal for Pennsylvania. In Illinois the thickness is placed at from two to thirty feet, and in Texas, at Spindle Top, an average thickness of over seventy-five feet has been calculated. In Pennsylvania the average production to date has been less than 800 barrels per acre, and, according to one authority it is fair to assume 1000 barrels per acre as an ample allowance for New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Ohio and Indiana. In Illinois the estimated production is 6000 barrels an acre. In California the following yield is authentic:

Sauer Dough, in Coalinga—Thickness of sand, 60 feet; production per acre, 90,000 barrels, or about 1600 barrels per acre-foot.

Claremont, in Kern River—Thickness of sand, 260 feet; production per acre, 93,000 barrels, or about 380 barrels per acre-foot.

Peerless, in Kern River—Thickness of sand, 300 feet; production per acre, 84,000 barrels, or about 280 barrels per acre-foot.

Santa Fe, in Fullerton—Thickness of sand, over 700 feet; production per acre, 93,000 barrels, or about 132 barrels per acre-foot.

Los Angeles—Over 700 barrels per acre-foot of sand.

It is worthy of note that all of these properties are still active producers.

More About General Yield

The production per well per day is also interesting and important. For the year 1907 the estimated yield in the various fields was as follows:

Field.	Barrels.
Appalachian	1.78
Lima-Indiana	2.74
Colorado-Wyoming	8.35
Illinois	8.37
Mid-Continent	5.29
Gulf	14.08
California	42.56

This does not, however, tell the entire story. An examination of the records over the period 1900 to 1908 shows the following:

Appalachian, a slightly fluctuating plus or minus from year to year, but over the period a constant diminution from 4.15 per barrels per well per day in 1900 to 1.78 barrels per well per day in 1907.

Diminishing Wells

The Lima-Indiana fields show a steady diminution year by year from 12.2 barrels in 1900 to 2.74 barrels per well per day in 1907.

Colorado-Wyoming from 28.07 barrels to 8.35 barrels per well per day.

Mid-Continent, an increase from .16 barrels to 8.81 barrels per well per day.

Gulf, an increase from .08 barrels to 19.38 barrels per well per day, with the maximum of 64.61 barrels per well per day in 1905.

Illinois, 60 barrels to 8.37 barrels per well per day, which latter is the maximum as compared with 3.30 barrels daily in 1906.

California, 15.88 barrels per well per day in 1890, 42.56 barrels in 1907 and fifty barrels in September, 1910, per well per day. This has fluctuated year by year as follows:

California Production Per Well Per Day

Year.	Barrels.	Year.	Barrels.
1875	4.11	1893	8.20
1876	16.39	1894	16.12
1877	11.87	1895	18.10
1878	13.91	1896	5.78
1879	9.28	1897	6.37
1880	15.83	1898	8.30
1881	27.35	1899	7.06
1882	27.11	1900	9.15
1883	24.46	1901	11.10
1884	85.74	1902	15.06
1885	38.70	1903	25.04
1886	30.74	1904	29.84
1887	50.24	1905	38.40
1888	30.39	1906	34.07
1889	16.28	1907	42.56
1890	15.88	1908	42.00
1891	11.08	1909	43.00
1892	9.50	1910 Sept.	50.00

The quantity of oil produced in California from year to year has increased with startling rapidity in recent years, as is clearly shown by the table herewith:

Total California Production

Year.	Barrels.	Year.	Barrels.
1875	3,000	1893	470,178
1876	12,000	1894	705,500
1877	13,000	1895	1,208,452
1878	15,227	1896	1,252,777
1879	13,543	1897	1,048,431
1880	40,552	1898	2,237,207
1881	99,862	1899	2,842,065
1882	128,039	1900	4,324,484
1883	142,857	1901	8,795,330
1884	262,000	1902	13,044,268
1885	325,000	1903	24,382,472
1886	377,145	1904	29,049,434
1887	678,572	1905	38,427,473
1888	890,323	1906	35,088,608
1889	803,220	1907	30,745,375
1890	397,380	1908	48,300,758
1891	232,000	1909	58,191,000
1892	385,049	1910 (est.)	75,000,000

Uses and Market

The west coast of North America and Central and South America is poorly supplied with coal deposits. Aside from the deposits in the State of Washington and British Columbia, and the undeveloped resources of Alaska and Peru, there is no available fuel of satisfactory quality. The coal that is produced does not at all compare with the best Eastern, Welsh or Australian coals, and the cost is materially higher. Herein lies the reason for the great success of and demand for California oil. For the generation of steam it is the fuel par excellence, being in every way more desirable than coal. It is also a fact that California oil can be produced and marketed at prices that, while highly profitable to the producer, will yet be so low that it will be impossible for coal to successfully compete.

California oil, broadly speaking, gives about the same heat value as coal under identical conditions, while it has a marked advantage in cost of transportation by rail and ship, as in one case the weight transported is about 1280 pounds and in the other 2240 pounds. In transportation by pipe line the advantage is far more pronounced, as are the cheapest rail transportation cannot compete with pipe line costs.

ROOSEVELT CAUSED INCREASE IN COST OF GOVERNMENT

James A. Tawney Says Colonel Had "Reckless Regard" for Public Money.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—"During the two administrations of Theodore Roosevelt the expenditures of the government on the military account alone were two and a quarter billion dollars," said James A. Tawney of Minnesota, who for six years has been chairman of the committee on appropriations of the House of Representatives.

Tawney was at the Waldorf-Astoria today. He came over from Washington to deliver an address at the Cooper Union meeting of the New York Peace Society Friday night.

"That is part answer to your question as to the cause of the rapid and enormous increase in the cost of the federal government," he continued. "When we emerged from the four years of the Civil War the national debt on that account was only three billions. The seven and a half years of Rooseveltism cost the people of the United States almost as much in treasure for war purposes as did the Civil War.

ONLY ONE IN WORLD.

"Ours is now a billion-dollar government, the only one in the world and the only one the world has ever known. It became such under the regime of Theodore Roosevelt with his imperialistic ideas and his new nationalism.

"The most serious problem that confronts the statesmanship of the country at present is to cut down the expenses of the national government. Of the billion dollars the American people annually pay for the support alone of their federal government more than $710,000,000 are spent for wars we have had or wars we are preparing for.

"In other words, more than 71 per cent of the revenues collected annually by the government is paid out on the military account in all forms—pensions, the army, the navy, fortifications and so forth.

INCREASE IS SHOWN.

"The pension roll, which now costs something more than $160,00,000, is bound to decrease substantially in a short time. So we will not consider that as a factor of very great importance.

"Before the Spanish War, when the army was nearly a third its present size, its average annual cost for eight years was less than $24,000,000. The average annual cost of the eight-year period from 1904 to 1910 was something over $83,000,000.

"Under Rooseveltism the navy cost shows an even bigger and more pretentious increase. For the same eight years it jumped from an average of $27,500,000 to $102,400,000.

IN CIVIL BRANCHES.

"But Roosevelt's extravagance was not confined to the military service. It extended with the same reckless disregard to the strictly civil branches of the government. Only those of us who have served on the two appropriations committees of Congress know the full story of his extravagance.

"President Taft is fafniliar with conditions and is striving to correct them; but the task ahead of him is so stupendous that it will be very near impossible to make headway rapidly. I substantial reductions will be shown." [illegible] substantial reductions will be shown."

NUTMEG STATE MAY ENFRANCHISE WOMEN

Governor Baldwin Gives Official Recognition of Their Rights in First Message.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 14.—Governor Simon W. Baldwin, the new executive of Connecticut, is the first Governor in an Eastern state to give official recognition to the idea of women's right to vote by recommending in his first message to the legislature the enddition of an amendment to the constitution enfranchising women in his state.

"I today discussed the question more fully," he said. "I believe women eventually will obtain the vote, but I do not believe they will ever take as much interest in it as men.

"You see, it is this way," explained the Governor. "With conditions as they are now in America, a great many women receive a better education than do the men. The boy of middle-class parents has to be looking for a position by the time he is 14 or at the most 16 years of age. The girls belonging to our families of comparatively humble means are able to stay in school until they are 16 at least.

SUFFRAGE MUST COME.

"Of course, it seems a certainty that woman suffrage will eventually come, but I don't believe we shall ever see the day in which men and women are equally interested in politics."

"Why do you think so?" he was asked.

"Women are fundamentally, physically and mentally different from men," answered the Governor slowly. "They are as high an order of being—higher, if you like—but different. Unquestionably the tendencies of women are towards the arts—the finer things. Men are less imaginative, more solid. Then, too, at the best the political game is a rough one. I don't think the ladies would like it.

"How would women take their politics?" he was asked.

"Most conservatively," was the reply.

"Conservatively?" said the interviewer.

"Why not?" rejoined the Governor, quietly. "Women are by nature much more conservative than men."

Prescription for Bad Breath and Chronic Indigestion

Foul breath is one of many disagreeable and distressing afflictions that come with indigestion. Below is given the formula for the treatment that is producing such remarkable results in hospital work for stomach trouble. It is said to relieve almost immediately sour stomach, bloating, dizziness, headaches and misery after eating, and if used for sufficient time will cure the worst dyspepsia. "Two ounces essence of Pepsin; three ounces syrup of Ginger; one ounce Catandir compound. Mix and take one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bedtime." Catandir always comes put up in ounce sealed packages. Any druggist should have it in stock by this time or he will quickly get it from his wholesale house. For best results mix the Pepsin and the Ginger, then let stand about an hour before adding the Catandir. It will be more convenient to get the ingredients from the druggist and mix them at home. Persons suffering from stomach troubles should get this without delay.

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Monday we inaugurate our ANNUAL REDUCTION SALE, an event anticipated by thousands of economical shoppers, who know from experience the unparalleled saving opportunities our reductions afford. Our policy of opening each season with new, fresh stocks compels the immediate disposal of the accumulation of broken lines created by the holiday shopping. This year our sale is to offer greater values than hitherto attempted—plan to make an early visit to insure the choicest selection.

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50c Kayser Cashmere Gloves
Two-clasp Kayser-made Cashmere, in all sizes; regular 50c values **25c**

$1.25 Ladies' "P. K." Kid Gloves
Single clasp "P. K." Kid, of dependable quality. All colors. Also black and white. **98c**

$1.50 Ladies' P. X. M. Cape Gloves
Ladies' single clasp "P. X. M." Cape Gloves. Have the popular spear point embroidery. **$1.15**

Irelands' Mocha Gloves
Ireland Bros.' dependable Mocha gloves, in all the latest shades of gray. **$1.15**

$2.00 "Melba" P. K. Kid Gloves
A fine quality "P. K." Kid with two clasps. Have the new fancy embroidery. **$1.65**

$2.25 "Phyllis" Two-Clasp Kid Gloves
An excellent two-clasp glove of "P. K." kid. A regular $2.25 glove. Sale price, **$1.65**

$3.50, $4.50 and $5.00 Cape Gloves
Ladies' Cape and Mocha gloves with fancy wrists and pearl buttons; sale price, **$1.95**

$1 and $2 Men's and Women's Gloves
Slightly soiled gloves for men and women, wide variety of styles, **50c**

Corsets

$1.50 Royal Worcester Corsets
One hundred and twenty pair—broken sizes only—medium, long and Princess hip including girdles. Values up to $1.50. Special, **88c**

$4.00 Bon Ton Corsets
Bon Ton and Kid fitting corsets; two models, in fancy Brocade and Batiste—colors Pink, White and Blue—Short or Princess hip—low or medium bust. **$1.35**

$4.00 to $6.50 Bon Ton Corsets
Bon Ton, "P. D.," and Jewel Corsets; ten models in Batiste, Coutile and Silk Brocade—long, medium and short hips—high and low bust. Special **$2.98**

$1.00 Royal Worcester Nursing Corsets
The famous Royal Worcester Nursing corset of Drab Jean. Are in medium length hip and specially designed low bust. Sale price, **59c**

$5.00 Bon Ton Corsets
Ten different models of fine French Coutile—long, medium and short hip—both high and low bust—five dollar values. Sale price, **$2.35**

$1.50 Form-Builder and Corset
Sahlin Waists—a combination form builder and corset for slender figures—broken lines—$1.00 and $1.50 values. Reduction sale price, **69c**

$1.50 Fancy Brassieres
Four styles in the lace front or cross back effect—finished in lace or embroidery—$1.50 values. Reduction sale price, **98c**

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Two styles—fancy trimmed with Medallion insets and embroidery edges—a regular three fifty value. Reduction sale price, **$1.85**

Umbrellas

English Gloria umbrellas for men, women and children—all have the celebrated Paragon frame. Reduction Sale price, **35c**

Gloria twill umbrellas for men, women and children—have Horn handles with fancy trimmings; $1 values. Sale price, **79c**

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All our regular $2 umbrellas now reduced to $1.35—all have best Paragon frames, with eight ribs and bulb runner. Reduction sale price— **$1.35**

Four and four-fifty umbrellas on sale during the Reduction Sale for **$2.95**

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Onyx black Silk Lisle Hose with double sole and tops—spliced heels look like silk, but wear better—75c values. Sale price, **55c**

Onyx pure silk hose with double heel, sole and toe—a broken assortment of sizes and colors—$1.25 values. Special, **69c**

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CLASSIFIED WANT ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RESULTS FOR MONEY INVESTED.

CANADA IS TO BE IN HANDS OF KING'S UNCLE

Earl Grey Determined to Keep New Official Waiting a Little While.

PRESENT GOVERNOR STILL HOLDS TO JOB

The Duke of Connaught Would Take Post in June, But Meets Opposition.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Despite all reports to the contrary the correspondent of the I. N. S. is able to announce authoritatively that the king's uncle, the Duke of Connaught, will be the next governor-general of Canada. Moreover, it can be stated that his royal highness is practically "kept out of his keep" by Lord Gray, the present governor-general of the dominion. Back of this curious condition there lies a still more curious story.

Lord Gray some time ago wanted to resign, but was requested by the government to remain in office over the coronation so as to allow the duke to attend to the ceremonials of that occasion. Lord Gray did not relish this and reports began to be circulated that the duke found shy of his Canadian appointment and was deferring as long as possible his move to Ottawa.

LEAVING FOR CORONATION.

As a matter of fact, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught had made all preparations to leave for Canada after the coronation. Meanwhile, to their chagrin, Earl Gray had informed his government that if he stayed, he would stay for a year, that is until September, "so as to get his Canadian fishing."

This was not generally known by Canadians, who were inclined to take umbrage over the delay of the duke in assuming his Canadian post. The correspondent of the I. N. S. has been asked to state that if the Duke of Connaught is not in Canada immediately after the coronation, it be only to the unwillingness of the present governor-general to leave, as the duke is most anxious to take up the duties assigned him.

NO ROYAL COURT.

It can also be asserted with authority that any fears of the establishment of a royal court at Ottawa—a bugaboo which has been alarming conservative Canadians—are without the least foundation. The duke will be the most constitutional governor-general Canada has ever had. His appointment was simply a compliment of the late king to his oldest dominion and when it was discussed and planned neither the late king nor the Duke of Connaught ever had the least idea of forcing a court in Ottawa.

The attitude taken by Lord Gray has caused a disagreeable diplomatic situation because of the whim of an Englishman who "must have his fishing each year."

LIKELY TO BE POPULAR.

The Duke of Connaught's regime in Canada is certain to be popular. He will, of course, be accompanied by the duchess and the charming Princess Patricia and his staff will include some of the most popular and efficient men of the army, Colonel Cecil Lowther, who is to be his military secretary, counts a host of friends in the united kingdom and is thoroughly Americanized in spirit.

MUSIC FOR PARK IF WEATHER CLEARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Weather permitting, the Golden Gate Park band, under direction of Charles H. Cassasa, will give the following musical program at the park tomorrow:

Anthem, "Star Spangled Banner" ..... Key
March, "Gilmore's Triumphal" ..... Brooks
Waltz, "Bacchelle" ..... Waldteufel
Overture, "Medea" ..... Cherubini
Mosaic, "Africaine" ..... Meyerbeer
Descriptive piece, "A Hunt in the Black Forest" ..... Verker
Excerpts, "Flying Dutchman" ..... R. Wagner
Serenade ..... Mestakowski
Gems from "Martha" ..... Flotow
Sextet, "Lucia" ..... Donizetti
March, "Flying Flag" ..... Klein
"America" .....

Women's Relief Corps Elects Its Officers

CORNING, Cal., Jan. 14. — The Maywood Woman's Relief Corps has elected the following officers for the year 1911: Mrs. Dora Cramer president, Mrs. Addie A. Ramer senior vice-president, Mrs. Sarah J. Tarlin junior vice-president, Mrs. Jennie E. Palmer secretary, Mrs. Mary E. Kress conductor, Mrs. Sarah J. Powers guard, Mrs. Julia A. Norton patriotic instructor, Mrs. Allen L. Simpson press correspondent, Mrs. Arvilla C. Mc-Luce musician, Mrs. Josie Eckert assistant conductor, Mrs. Malvina Clark guard, Mrs. Anna C. McGaw, Mrs. Jennie E. Womacks, Mrs. Frances F. Duffield, color bearers.

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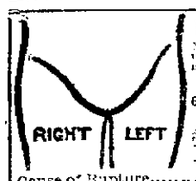

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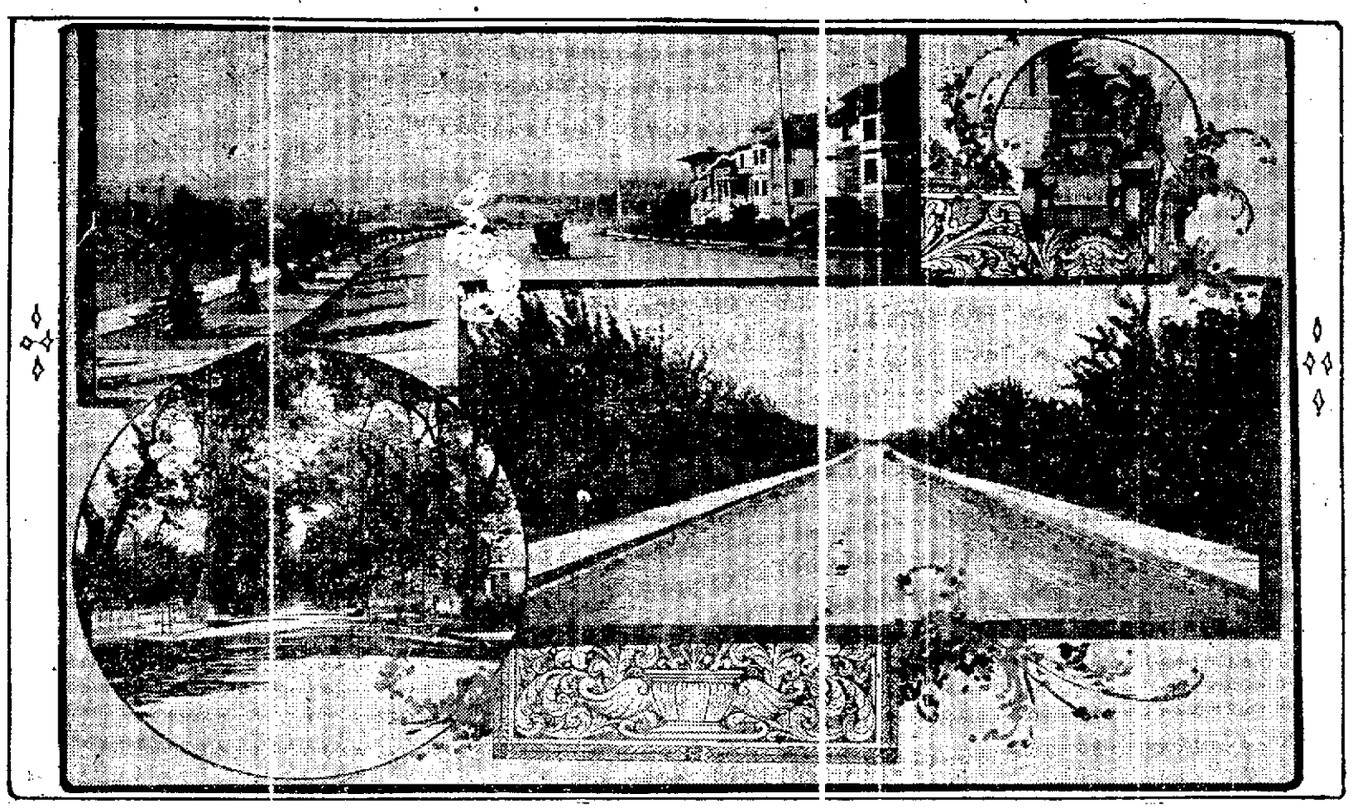

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BUSINESS REMAINS AT ONE LEVEL

The Conditions Substantially Unchanged; Fair Degree of Activity.

NEW YORK, June 14.—Dun's Review says:

Business conditions remain substantially unchanged. From leading cities come reports indicating a diversity of conditions with, on the whole, a fair degree of activity.

In some lines the receipts of a satisfactory volume of spring orders is already reported. Interest in iron and steel centers largely on developments in the export trade. Recent orders from abroad include an important contract for tin plate, while a substantial tonnage of structural material has been sold in Canada for bridge building.

The difficulty regarding specifications on the Pennsylvania Railroad order for 100,000 tons of rails has been adjusted. Further purchases of 200 locomotives are reported.

IRON SALES.

In pig iron cast iron pipe interests are reported to have been active buyers of late.

More buyers are in the dry goods markets attending the openings of cotton blankets, men's wear and other lines, and operations have been more satisfactory. There has been considerable activity in bleached cottons.

Many visiting buyers are in the Boston footwear market examining the situation there. It is believed some fair orders will be booked owing to the small holdings.

The somewhat firmer tendency of the hide market last week has not been continued, and at present the situation is decidedly weak.

Native Daughters Install Their Officers

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Calaveras parlor No. 103, Native Daughters of the Golden West, has installed the following officers: President, Dr. Jean M. Martin; first vice-president, Lena Shriner; second vice-president, Victoria Roemer; third vice-president, Anna Gerrish; financial secretary, Jennie Ohlerich; recording secretary, Grace C. Fleck; treasurer, Nora Steinman; marshal, Margaret Flynn; trustees, Josephine Flagemann, Marie Palasson and Kate Davies; organist, Leah Wrede; inside sentinel, Nina DeAndries; outside sentinel, Agnes McVerry; physician, Dr. Jean M. Martin. District Deputy Grand President Leah Williams was installing officer.

Oroville Wants to Obtain Terminal Rates

OROVILLE, Jan. 14.—The Oroville Merchant Association has changed its name to the Business Men's Association of Oroville. At the annual business meeting it was determined to continue the agitation for terminal freight rates for this city.

Supervisor Porter was asked to support the project of Supervisor Glenn Miller for a county appropriation to build the Oroville-Swede Flat cutoff.

The following officers were named: President, R. S. Powers; vice president, Scott Lawton; treasurer, Archie Fetherston; secretary, A. Vaughan.

RECIPROCITY SURE DECLARES LAURIER

Premier Says Injury to Farmers and Manufacturers Is Not Necessary.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 14.—"I think that it may be possible for Canada to conclude some measure of reciprocity with the United States without injuring either the farmers or the manufacturers of the dominion."

This is the reply given by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier, to the declaration of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association that the United States may be ready for reciprocity, but Canada is not. The manufacturers presented their case before several members of the government and most of the members of the senate and house. It had been carefully prepared with the evident view of counteracting the demands of western farmers, made a month ago, for reciprocity with the United States and free trade with Great Britain.

Eastern Visitors Are Pleased With Oakland

Louis Aber, proprietor of the Hotel Crellin, had as his guests yesterday a party consisting of James R. Ormond of New York, J. L. Iverson, Boston; A. W. Hudas, Kansas City; Captain C. R. Kellogg, New York; R. J. Richter, New York; R. Henry Tyson, Omaha; L. P. Wallace, Philadelphia; Henry C. Webster, Cincinnati, and H. Schoenfeldt, Milwaukee. The easterners were shown about the city and Berkeley to their very great pleasure and profit. They left last evening for Los Angeles.

FOLLY OF FAT EASILY OVERCOME

SLENDER Margaret Knolly, now, if you please. The fascinating leading lady of the Bijou, now more fascinating than ever, astonished all her friends on Broadway the other day by presenting to their admiring gaze a svelt and willowy form in place of the plump, not to say fat, outlines with which she gaily sailed away to new triumphs and foreign shores last January. After a good deal of diplomatic cross-examination from interested fat acquaintances the secret was cautiously whispered to a few dear friends, with the result that everybody knows it now. It was not exercise, nor fasting, nor sea air, nor worry about her new venture that had brought about this wonderful willowy change in the charming Margaret; no, none of these; nothing but a simple mixture which all good druggists are familiar with and can supply at small cost, to-wit: One-half ounce Marmola, one-half ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and three and one-half ounces Peppermint Water. "Grown folks need a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime," explained the now slender Margaret. "It is simply wonderful. It takes off the fat quickly, as much as a pound a day, and keeps it off. You can eat what you like, too. In that respect it is unlike anything of the kind I ever heard of, and besides it has another splendid feature—it is entirely harmless, and will not cause wrinkles. I think it is about as essential a toilet article for the woman who is fat and wants to get thinner as face powder. In order to get the best results, however, you should buy the Marmola in the original package and mix it in with the other two ingredients after you get home."

IMPROVED ROADS FOR NEW MEXICO

Ohio Pathfinding Party to Look Over Roads Near Deming.

DEMING, N. M., Jan. 14. — At the request of the Deming Chamber of Commerce, the members of the Ohio pathfinding party will remain another day to attend a meeting of the highways committee of the chamber called by President Pollard to decide upon a plan for the improvement of the roadway connecting El Paso with Deming, Tucson and Phoenix. E. L. Ferguson of the American Automobile Association, who is conducting the Ohio car on its good roads tour from New York to San Francisco, will address the chamber with respect to the road improvement policy of the A. A. A., in whose interest he is logging the new coast to coast route by way of the southern states.

Notices of this meeting have been sent to all the members of the chamber, some of whom live on ranches several miles from Deming. The plan proposed is to draw up a memorial to the territorial government urging an appropriation of $100,000, which will be expended on highway improvements. As soon as the money is forthcoming it is proposed to make the necessary surveys and start the work with convict labor, as is now being done in several of the southern states.

BEGIN AT MESQUITE.

It is planned to begin this road improvement at Mesquite on the Santa Fe Railroad, to connect with the highway that is now being improved from Anthony, N. M., 20 miles from El Paso, to Las Cruces. It will thence be extended west through Donana county to Deming and Lordsburg and on to the border of Grant county. Efforts will be made later to extend it to Tucson and Phoenix. The most expensive and difficult part of the project will be the elimination of the deep sand in Luna county between Mymdus and Luxor, which has long been dreaded by farmers of this section and automobilists alike.

Eventually it is proposed by the local chamber of commerce to urge the improvement of the road northwest from Deming to Rincon and thence to Socorri, Los Lunas, Albuquerque and Santa Fe. This road is through the richest and most picturesque part of New Mexico and its improvement, Deming good roads boosters believe, will greatly enhance the value of adjacent property.

Domestic Troubles Is Cause of Man's Arrest

OROVILLE, Jan. 14.—Julius Hanique, a well known Western Pacific road builder, and now assistant division superintendent, with headquarters at Stockton, was allowed his freedom by Justice Parks. Hanique had been arrested in Stockton on a warrant sworn out by his wife charging him with felony, desertion and failure to provide.

Mrs. Hanique got her husband here and had him served with a subpoena to answer her suit for divorce, and then failed to appear to prosecute. It is evident that some kind of a settlement of their difficulties has been made out of court, for several lots owned by the couple in Thermalito and El Medio addition were transferred to Joseph Kent, son of Mrs. Hanique, by her first marriage.

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Sale date January 7th to 16th, inclusive. Return limit same date.

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Money for Fortifying Panama Canal Zone

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—An immediate appropriation of $5,000,000 for Panama canal fortifications to be taken out of a total appropriation of $12,475,328 for Panama defenses and to be included in the regular appropriations bill for the next fiscal year has been asked of congress by the war department. The president has sent a special congress recommending its appropriation.

ERNEST DRAKE ARRAIGNED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Ernest J. Drake, charged with violating a section of the penal code relative to forcing money from a fallen woman, was arraigned and instructed before Police Judge Shortall today. The case was set for trial on January 16th. Augusta Nieman, sixteen years of age, is the complainant in the case.

Management of Electric Railroads to Be Merged

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 14.—Vice President Paul Shoup, in charge of the Southern Pacific electric lines has announced that the management and operating department of the Pacific Electric railroad and the Los Angeles-Pacific railroad would be merged on February 1. General Manager James McMillan of the Pacific Electric will be the general manager of the consolidated roads; General Manager Robert Sherman, of the Los Angeles Pacific, retiring from the railroad business.

IRON PIPE BREAKS ARM.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—B. J. Hooper, 135 Twenty-third avenue, reporter to the police that B. Welnor, teamster for the Healy-Tibbetts Construction Company, struck him with an iron pipe on Friday night and broke his right arm.

Sent to San Quentin for Fraud at Election

COLUSA, Cal., Jan. 14.—Theodore H. Schweitschler was sentenced to serve two years in San Quentin prison by Judge Albery in the superior court for perjury committed at Princeton during the election of November 8.

His attorney, Tim Bellen of Willows, argued for a new trial on the ground that there were defects in the information, but the motion was denied.

The attorney also argued for an arrest of judgment, but this motion was overruled. In passing sentence Judge Albery said he would be lenient with the defendant as he had committed the crime under the influence of others.

Schweitschler is the second man who has been sentenced to the penitentiary for committing election frauds at Princeton.

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LOCOMOTIVE FIREMAN SAVES TRAIN

Women Strongly Protest Defiling of Mount Vernon

WILL KEEP SACRED WASHINGTON'S SEPULCHRE

Plan to Build Reformatory Near Tomb Aroused General Indignation

REGENTS LEAD FIGHT AGAINST PENAL HOME

President Taft Is Interested and Congress May Be Asked for Relief

(By MRS DONALD McLEAN)

NEW YORK Jan 14—I am fully in accord with the suggestion that the patriotic women of the country should rally to the support of the Mount Vernon Ladies Association in the latter's protest against the building of a reformatory too near the sacred spot where Washington lived and lies buried

While I believe it is true that Washington's memory as an object of veneration and emulation can not be brought to frequent before all classes of his countrymen—even the criminal class where reformation is possible—yet I also believe that it is due to the idealistic emotions and to the realistic worth (in the preservation of Mount Vernon as a patriotic mecca) of the people of this nation and visitors from foreign shores to keep undefiled the approaches to Mount Vernon

Let the women of the country individually and from organized meetings thus adjure the commissioners of the District of Columbia

PRESIDENT IS INTERESTED

WASHINGTON Jan 14—There will be no letup in the fight inaugurated by the Mount Vernon Ladies Association to prevent the establishment of the District of Columbia Reformatory at Pelvoir Va almost at the gate of George Washington's old home President Taft has become interested in the matter and he association is hopeful he will prevent this desecration as they insist it would be

If President Taft does not succeed Congress will be appealed to and not only all the patriotic associations but all patriotic men and women the country over will be urged to bring the pressure of public opinion to bear on the officials so that the District commissioners may be compelled to locate the reformatory elsewhere

The regent of the association Miss Harriet Comegys of Delaware now in Washington with ten of the vice regents representing the state of Virginia Maryland Pennsylvania Rhode Island Michigan West Virginia South Carolina Mississippi Illinois and the District of Columbia They are actively organized and confident Miss Comegys said today

MECCA OF THE UNION

"Mount Vernon is the Mecca of the shrine of the Union to which thousands of visitors come from all over the world The regent of Mount Vernon feel it their paramount duty in safeguarding this historic monument to prevent its encroachment from desecration and they are determined to be faithful to the trust they have assumed Already the district workhouse has been established at Occoquan in the same county of Fairfax county and it is recalled that justice to the home and tomb of Washington

MRS. DONALD McLEAN.

PEKING IS FREE FROM PLAGUE EPIDEMIC

Thirty Deaths Occur in Mukden; Southbound Trains Abandoned

PEKING Jan 14—Alarm was created today by a note issued from the German legation stating that a death from the plague had occurred in this city and warning the women and children of foreigners to depart Later the report of a death was proved to be unfounded and the capital is still free of the epidemic

A total of 1,500 Chinese have died of the disease at Harbin There have been only seven deaths in the foreign colony there

THIRTY DEATHS IN MUKDEN

MUKDEN Manchuria Jan 14—There has been thirty deaths from bubonic plague here The authorities are fighting the epidemic systematically No passengers trains of any class have gone southward in seven days

NEGRO'S SKULL IS CRUSHED IN RIOT

Band of Young Whites Attack Colored Minstrels; Fatal Result

BENTON Ark Jan 14—One negro was killed and one negro and two reported fatally injured in a race riot here last night following a performance by a negro minstrel organization from New Orleans The members of the company were en route to their boarding house when attacked by a party of 15 or 20 unidentified young white men and pursued a half mile One negro's skull was crushed with a club

VOTE OF THANKS

A recent meeting of the delegates to the counties committee meeting of the California development board held in Oakland a vote of thanks was offered to the press for its assistance and cooperation in the work which was unanimously carried

UNCLE SAM HAS HELD UP RENTA

Refuses to Pay State Commission Until Docks Are Repaired

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14 The government has refused to pay its proportion of the rental demanded in addition by the State Harbor Commission for the use of the Mission rock land by the federal government for the repair of the Stockton street pier

Secretary Thorpe of the board has received requests for payment from Major Young several times

Major Young has replied that the government will settle if the board grants a few requests The board must establish the rock and wharfage rates for the wharf shed he says

It is believed that the government will not even dispute the rental charges so long as the condition of the Folsom street shed is no worse than that of any other under state control

Easier to Wed Than Get Dog License, Says Solon

SACRAMENTO Jan 14— You are trying to make divorce more difficult you are looking after the marriage relation more diligently

This is the burden of a letter which Assemblyman Freeman of Riverside has received from a citizen of Los Santa Clara The letter was sent to Freeman because he is the author of a bill to put up the bars against quick and easy divorce On this point it is no harder to get a dog license than it is to get a marriage license Before a lover would have the marriage ritual pledged about with restrictions it would make marriage less easy Another suggested by Julia Wilson and in part as follows

At present the two rattle brained moneyless young fools or addle pated old fools go ahead of anything but the whirlwind get married in a moments notice

It is as easy to get married as it is to secure a dog license

Why then visit these misguided couples with a life long imprisonment"

The fault is not themselves, it is with the law I suggest this as a remedy Frame a law forbidding any one to perform a marriage in any county in California until at least six months have elapsed since the securing of the marriage license and the publication thereof This would give the parties time to make the preparations and prevent flyby night elopements

Give this some thought and attention and you will not get your five years residence in the county twaddle and wake up to the fact that we should make marriage more difficult and not divorce"

VAUDEVILLE STAR HASTILY MARRIES

Decides at Dinner Party to Wed the Leading Man of Her Company.

NEW YORK Jan 14—Valeska Suratt one of the most striking women in vaudeville, was married tonight to Fletcher Norton her leading man by Justice of the Peace William Burke in Jersey City at 8 o'clock

The couple had been dining at the home of Mrs Jackson Gouraud when they suddenly decided to get married and hurried to Jersey City in Mrs Gouraud's automobile The party consisted of Miss Suratt Norton Miss Gouraud and Miss Nance Gwynne who is a member of Miss Suratt's company The ceremony was performed with the utmost dispatch and the party returned to the Gouraud mansion where the dinner that had been abandoned was eaten It was then the bride and Miss Suratt and her husband had to hurry to the Manhattan opera house where they are appearing in musical comedy Miss Suratt and Norton are old sweethearts

After the performance at the Manhattan opera house tonight the party returned to Mrs Gouraud's mansion where a midnight supper was served A score or more of the friends of the couple joined in the festivities

Rich San Francisco Chinese Held for Gigantic Smuggling

LOS ANGELES Jan 1 —The arrest of two wealthy Chinese merchants of San Francisco who are now in all here brought to light today a conspiracy which he federal immigration authorities assert is the biggest Chinese smuggling plot they have ever unearthed

The merchants are Woo Wai and Mar Jick who were arrested with four alleged contraband Chinese by immigration inspectors on trains between Mojave and Tehachapi last night and brought here today

Woo Wai and Mar Jick are said to be the leaders in the smuggling conspiracy The immigration inspectors have been on their trail for more than two months and caught them with the four alleged contraband Chinese who were brought across the border near San Diego two or three days ago.

VARSITY'S MEDICAL AND LAW SCHOOLS UNSATISFACTORY

President Benjamin de Wheeler So Declares Before San Francisco Club.

CANNOT BE PROUD OF INSTITUTIONS HE SAYS

Methods Antique and Up-to-Date Teachings Are Sore ly Needed.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14 —That the work of the law and medical schools of the University of California is unsatisfactory in the extreme was a statement made by Benjamin Ide Wheeler president of the University of California in his address The Present Standing and Future Needs of the University of California before the Commonwealth Club this afternoon

We cannot be proud of the results of our professional schools said Dr Wheeler The Hastings College of law and the Medical School do not give instruction of a university standard With the great advance that has been made in medical knowledge in the past ten or twenty years the old ones that are no longer worthy of a university

Today a medical school should require far more of learning than we do Lost time must be spent in school and a high grade of instruction must be given in every department The first two years of instruction is pretty good but we are not proud of the last two years

WORK UNSATISFACTORY

In the law we have been trying to raise the grade of the school, but until the work of the Hastings College is satisfactory

Dr Wheeler then told of one of the most pressing problems before the state It is in connection with the instructing the general population Over 70,000 people visited the train last year and more than a million and a half to learn something about the particular line of business

The University farm Davis was doing good work he said as was the experiment stations at Watsonville Santa Monica, San Diego and Mono

Lick Observatory with its splendid equipment is supplemented by the Crocker estate is one of the university's best friends Last year one $4000 was received from the estate while the observatory expenses were let us say $8,000 Almost $5,000 of money was taken from the funds of the university

SUPPORT OTHER SCHOOLS

Our present income continued Dr Wheeler is $1,400,000 A considerable part of this goes to support institutions that are not a part of the university such as the Wilmington Lick observatory and the many experimental stations which we are running in different places in the state

The great nucleus of the university however is at Berkeley There are 3,000 undergraduates and 1,000 post graduates and others in the University The largest body of undergraduates in the United States The next largest Harvard

Before you Californians can be proud of your university said Dr Wheeler in conclusion you must be willing for it little that which we have done by Miss Phebe A Hearst mining bureau to commemorate the memory of her husband This splendid structure cost $80,000 Another splendid gift was the library presented by Charles F Doe which cost $50,000 With one exception California is the only which cost $250,000 the State of California has not caused to be erected one of the buildings which it has given the university

DO PRACTICAL THINGS

In order to understand the difference between what the university was and what it is going to be in the future we must go over the grounds and see the buildings The new white buildings with the exception of California Hall were all erected built by private subscription The old white ones were built by the state

If the state would provide support its university we would have one to be proud of The state must go ahead and do practical things The old ornate buildings are obsolete In the new red ones we are laying foundations which in later years will not make us the laughing stock of the world

Dr Wheeler urged support of the bill to go before the present legislature for a restoration of the tax appropriation that was taken from the university

Charles Wesley Reed was chairman of today's meeting and among the prominent members who attended were former Governor J N Gillett F A Cutler George H Crothers J N F Whelan T W Heaton and James Ferguson

What Was Done in Congress Yesterday

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14—What Congress did today

In the House Greater part of session given over to debate on army appropriation bill During the discussion Representative McLachlan of California presented a review of the United States coast defense by Frederick Louis Huidekoper, well-known military critic showing that the United States is not prepared to successfully resist an invasion by the Germans on the Atlantic coast or the Japanese on the Pacific coast Mann bill giving President control of the Panama canal introduced

The Senate was not in session today.

America Now Face to Face With Political Revolution

PROPHECY MADE BY EDISON STARTLES MEN OF AFFAIRS

Inventor Also Believes Poverty Will Be Abolished From the World

LOOKS FOR DISCOVERY OF WAY TO MAKE GOLD

Universal Peace Must Come, He Says, Or Masses Will Rebel

NEW YORK Jan 14—The noted men from all sections of the country gathered in New York today in attendance upon the meeting of the National Civic Federation at the Hotel Astor were very much interested in statements made in an interview by Thomas A Edison of the various inventions Edison has still conducted in the realm of high politics as he does in connection with other scientific matters in which he is an authority He is not only one of the world greatest inventors but he is no novice to prophesy with confidence as to the future

One of the most startling statements made by Edison is to the effect that not only Europe but America is on the verge of political revolution He expresses the opinion that England and Europe generally thus revolutions which will place control of governments in the hands of workers is likely to come at any moment

PRODUCER DESPERATE

The producer he believes is becoming desperate over the constantly increasing burden imposed by war preparations and will compel universal peace even if it is necessary to revolutionize existing governments to bring it about

Edison looks forward to the abolition of poverty through the enormous advances to be made in machinery and the better distribution of wealth which will prevent any set of men either through legislative laws or superior ability from accumulating more than their just share of created wealth

The inventor also in his estimate of a time when artificial production of gold will be discovered and the world's monetary systems will be made

REMARKABLE STATEMENTS

The remarkable statements of Edison were inspired by a good deal of stories now current in the minds of men of affairs who on account of the disturbing conditions in the United States and Europe

I am afraid Mr Edison is too optimistic While the laborer has made great strides in the improvement of conditions both in Europe and in America the improvement I fear is not good ways from dominating the governments of either the United States or England

I fear also that desirable as it may be to so change conditions that no man may be able to secure for himself more than his share of the wealth it will be a long time before society has so developed that this evil will be eliminated

I believe civilization is gradually developing along the lines suggested by Mr Edison and in time will reach that ideal

Andrew Carnegie agrees with Edison on matters I agree between the two and that I will be reached soon If says he does not however agree with him that there is liable to be in the immediate future any trouble in the immediate future

Carnegie is inclined to take a humorous view of the suggestion that the philosopher's stone will be discovered and that gold may soon be manufactured chemically This has been the dream of alchemists almost since history began and he is not inclined to believe it is any nearer realization now than it was decades ago

George W Perkins believes the problems Edison thinks will lead to revolution will rather be settled by evolution

RECOGNIZE EACH OTHER

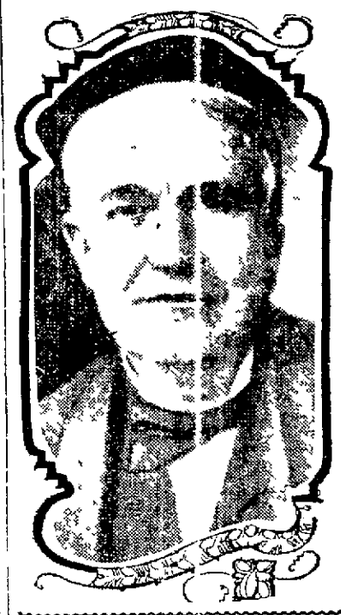
The minds of men of affairs are turning to the settlement of these grave questions and there is a growing disposition both on the part of labor and its employers to recognize each the rights of the other which will make for industrial peace and the proper adjustment of various economic problems that have caused trouble and friction He is not unusually hopeful of an era of peace between nations for a long time to come

Many of the other gentlemen in attendance at the meeting were interested in Edison's views, but were not inclined to believe his prophecy would be fulfilled for the present at least

LONDON Jan 14—Lloyd George chancellor of the exchequer was much interested in the statement made by Thomas A Edison that England was on the verge of a revolution and that it was only a matter of a short time before the labor element will dominate the government

I am afraid he said that Mr Edison is not fully acquainted with conditions in England I should like very much indeed to have him come over here and study the situation at first hand He would find I believe that England has never been further from a revolution than it is at present We are taking up these problems which cause friction which would naturally lead to revolutionary feeling among the masses of the people if they were not solved and we are taking them up in a manner which I believe will lead to their solution."

THOMAS A. EDISON, from his latest photograph at the age of 63



Thomas A. Edison Startles World

Poverty will be abolished from the world within the next century

Political revolutions are imminent in both Europe and America

Within a short time England will be dominated by labor In the next decade this country may also be

Civilization is on a false basis and must change by elimination of means by which any man may take that which he has not made

Universal peace or general revolution will come within a short time

Gold is likely to be manufactured chemically almost any time, revolutionizing the world's financial system

RATS MUST GO, IS LATEST EDICT OF FASHION

Not Rodents, but the Kind That Women Use in Hair-Dressing

NEW YORK Jan 14—The rat is doomed This is the latest report to the fashion world Rats will be taboo in hair dressing henceforth Rats will be no more Rats will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

The announcement of the passing of the rat was made by Mme Jeanne Lanvin one of the leading lights of the Parisian modiste colony Mme Lanvin is now visiting in this country

Mme Lanvin who arrived in New York on the steamship France declared that the rat is doomed Mme Lanvin declared that the rat will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

Mme Lanvin made the announcement at the opening of the Monte Carlo winter season Mme Lanvin was the guest of honor at the great function which was given by the Princess de Polignac

Mme Lanvin declared that the rat will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

Hair dressing styles are changing rapidly Mme Lanvin declared in order to prevent the rat from being used Mme Lanvin declared that the rat will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

Mme Lanvin confessed the vital announcement concerning the rat The rat will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

The picture as to the rat will be published in the Sunday Tribune January 22 1911

Mme Lanvin declared that the rat will be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things

Then there will be the high waisted effect and the straight effect and the women of the Empire period famous for their pretty ankles

Even the skirts of the conventional evening dress will be short As to the décolleté features—well all know what they used to do in that line in the Empire days

The devotees of the bobble skirt need not despair as skirts will continue to be narrow Then there is the new color—the empire—a delightful shade of green

The rat has to go But even rat makers need not feel disconsolate They can branch out into the switch making trade as that will call for an awful lot of hair

Theaters Are Not to Exchange Locations

W H Campbell manager of the Macdonough Theater last night very peremptorily denied some recent insistent rumors that his theater was to be used by the Orpheum and his attractions given at the Orpheum Theater in Twelfth street.

"There is not the slightest basis for such a rumor" said Mr Campbell. "Such a proposition has never been entertained The Pacific Theater Company who own the lease of the Macdonough is composed of myself Mr Meyerfield of the Orpheum and several others We are satisfied with our location and with the business."

ENGINEER HURT WHILE IN CAB

Quick Action of Fireman Prevents Bad Wreck in the Freight Yard

Driver of Locomotive Knocked Unconscious and His Right Hand Mangled

Knocked from his seat in a cab of a rapidly moving switch engine while shunting strings of freight cars in the West Oakland yards of the Southern Pacific yesterday afternoon shortly before 6 o'clock Engineer William Davis living at 211 Wood street was thrown from the cab and his engine and the three cars in the sudden reversal of the locomotive which he was handling All this was terribly painful but was rendered unconscious

FIREMAN STOPS ENGINE

It was by the prompt action of Fireman Smith that the train and a serious wreck in the freight yards of the Southern Pacific was averted Seeing the engineer fall from the cab and the engine go on to the throttle and lightening the engine to a standstill Smith ran to the assistance of Davis whom he found lying helpless from his injuries and still unconscious

Summoning a Southern Pacific engine he hurried the injured engineer to the Southern Pacific hospital in San Francisco where it is feared amputation of the injured hand will be necessary

The switch engine which he was driving at the time of the accident is often designated by the employees as the "Jinx" Just how the accident has not been definitely known, but it is believed the engineer released the clutch holding the lever while unprepared to control it and that it is said the recoil took him unawares throwing him from his seat His hand became caught at this time and was badly crushed

TAX REFORMERS ORGANIZE UNION

W W Garthwaite of Oakland Is Chosen Second Vice-President

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14 Men prominent in the single tax movement from all parts of the state met in the assembly room of the San Francisco Ferry Building this morning and organized the California Single Tax Association for the purpose of [illegible]

The speakers were Professor Carl C Plehn of the University of California Assemblyman Wallace Dodge, Clarence Hotchkiss former president State Utility Board, Joseph A Walcott, secretary of the Commonwealth Club, Harry Dalton, Lawson Dalton, Nathan C Harper, John [illegible] and Frederick Baum of the State Tax Commission

Those elected were [illegible] president Clarence Hotchkiss of Los Angeles, W W Garthwaite of Oakland second vice-president Alexander Watchorn, San Francisco, secretary Joseph A Walcott, San Francisco, treasurer Lawson Dalton, San Francisco, executive committee [illegible] Harper, Los Angeles, Harry Dalton, San Francisco, Frederick Baum, San Francisco, Alexander Watchorn, San Francisco, Joseph A Walcott, San Francisco, Lawson Dalton, San Francisco, Clarence Hotchkiss, Los Angeles, Nathan C Harper, Los Angeles, John [illegible] San Francisco, Wallace Dodge, San Francisco, Carl C Plehn, San Francisco, Assemblyman Wallace Dodge of San Francisco will introduce a bill in the legislature at its present session providing for the appointment of a commission to investigate the subject of taxation in this state with a view to introducing such legislation as may be necessary to put the single tax theory into practical operation in this state

The commission will work without compensation for any of its members, there being no appropriation for the purpose in public expenditures

NOTED THEOLOGIAN TO GIVE LECTURE

Prof Wm F Bade Will Treat of Subjects Based on the Scriptures

Professor William F Bade of the Pacific Theological Seminary of Berkeley will deliver a series of twelve lectures in the First Congregational Church Twelfth and Clay streets commencing Sunday January 22 and continuing for twelve Sundays at 3:30 p m

The savant is a noted lecturer and his courses will interest not only Bible students but those in search of knowledge on philosophical subjects

The first series of lectures will be upon the triple How God Revealed Himself Through the Bible and the following The Fall of Man and Its Consequences The Blood an Similar Catastrophies The Theory of Group Responsibility The Test of Suffering and Misfortune The Problem of the Book of Job Justification by Death

The second course will be based upon the themes History The Great Laboratory of the Knowledge of God Typology The Hebrew Tribal Customs and Its Significance Preparatory Stages and Influences The First Canonical Book of the Old Testament and the First Heresy Trial The Prophets Canon and the Theory of Its Making The Third Canon and Disputed Books."

Explosion Due to Accident, Is Now the Theory Accepted by Experts and Police

DEATH OF NORBOM NOT RESULT OF FOUL PLAY

All Evidence Shows That Tragedy On the Berkeley was Not Murder.

EXPLOSIVE MUST HAVE BEEN IN VICTIM'S POCKET

Family of Dead Man Still Doubt That He Carried Deadly Compound.

Although the family of J O Norbom will not believe that he was the victim of his own carelessness or an accident in carrying a high explosive in his pocket by the detonation of which he was killed on the ferryboat Friday night when five others were injured and the passengers thrown into a panic the police and the railroad officials are satisfied with the theory advanced yesterday to this effect

PROSTRATED BY GRIEI.

Mrs Norbom, widow of the dead man, is still prostrated by grief and under the care of a physician at the Alta Vista apartments corner of Telegraph avenue and Bancroft Way

Her moans of grief could be heard in the corridors of the house last night, and her seclusion is assured by her 16-year-old son Harold who is playing a manly part in the hour of trial No word has come directly from Mrs Norbom since the news was broken to her except through her son She believes that her husband was killed by some unknown person who had been pursuing him, but who mistook him for some other person

SON IS IN DOUBT.

Harold Norbom the son not only scouts the suicide theory but does not believe his father carried explosives

"All that is used at the mine for blasting is giant powder, fuse and caps If father had been experimenting with anything else I feel sure that he would have told mother or I about it,' said the youth tonight

"Father had just noticed indications of richness at the Shasta county mine when we came down here a week ago and taking his own life would have been the last thing for him to think of His home life was particularly happy

The remains of Norbom were taken to the Berkeley branch morgue yesterday afternoon Complete arrangements for the funeral will not be made until Norbom's son-in-law O F Bals and wife, arrive from Shasta some time this afternoon

EXPERTS SAY ACCIDENT.

G W Cage, an expert for the Southern Pacific and Dr Henry East Miller the powder expert, examined the body of Norbom and the ferryboat and it was the opinion of Dr Miller as told in the TRIBUNE last night, that Norbom's death was the result of an explosion in his pocket of some one of the higher explosives This theory was accepted by the detectives put on the case by Captain Petersen of the Oakland department

ASSASSINATION UNTENABLE

Theories of suicide or assassination were closely considered but no grounds or evidence could be found to make them tenable

The fact that Norbom had been under the surveillance of the Scotland Yard officials at one time during his last trip to England some three years ago, became rumored and gave rise to a story early in the day to the effect that he was the victim of an enemy who had been following him for years

The explanation of this incident came from the young son, Harold Norbom, who said that the father had been mistaken for a time by one of the detectives of the famous English bureau but that the latter admitted he had been mistaken An investigation of the family relations of the unfortunate man and of his business affairs failed to disclose any reason for suicide

THE SON'S SUSPICIONS

Because of the mistakes of his detective, young Norbom suspects that his father may have been likewise mistaken for another by some unknown enemy of his double, who may have seen him in San Francisco, followed him, and taken advantage of the seclusion of the retiring room on the ferry boat to hurl a bomb at the victim

Captain of Detectives Walter J Petersen of Oakland believes the explosion was accidental

"Neither the theory of murder nor suicide seems to fit the case,' says Captain Petersen 'It doesn't seem reasonable that any one would have attempted murder in such a place as the affair occurred and with such an explosive, as it would have endangered his own life The nature of the explosion itself would preclude the thought of suicide

CHANCE TO RECOVER.

Edwin Hoffschneider, who was also seriously injured by the explosion, was removed yesterday to St Anthony's hospital, where he is attended by Dr G. W. Heiligass The latter believes that his patient has a chance for recovery, but admits that the chances are very small. The man was in slightly better condition late last night.

Royal L. Sampson, A C Miller, Louis Faure and W T Short, the other men who were injured by the explosion, were but slightly hurt, and no fear is felt for them

FEAR OF EXPLOSION

Claus Olsen, who resides at the corner of Sutter and Buchanan streets, San Francisco and who had known Norbom for twenty years, declared yesterday that his dead friend was not in the habit of carrying bottles containing explosive chemical compounds in his pockets

"Norbom had a deadly fear of explosives and firearms and continually avoided them. A morning newspaper story to the effect that he might have been carrying home with him a bottle containing an explosive I believe to be groundless In all the years I have known him I do not recollect that he ever carried anything of the kind.

"He was a man of quiet and modest disposition and would not have been likely to take his own life. Neither would he have placed himself in danger, knowing chemicals as he did"

Olsen spent the greater part of yesterday with the bereaved family

How the fatal explosion on the Berkeley probably occurred.

SIDE POCKET OF OVERCOAT WHERE EXPLOSIVE IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE BEEN CARRIED
EXPLODED BY BEING HIT WHEN OVERCOAT WAS THROWN BACK.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON WILL MAKE SOLONS BE GOOD

He Plans to Rule Legislators With Big Stick and Have Them Stand Pat With His Administration

By J. R. NOURSE

SACRAMENTO Jan 14 — Now we are to have the rule of the Big Stick

Governor Hiram W Johnson is going out on the trail after those who would oppose his administration Swinging his excalibur of reform he will smite up and high those who rise against the measures proposed by him and by the rising tide

He has thrown down the mailed gauntlet at the feet of his enemies

The Governor intends to keep close tab on the alignment in each house on the bills that have the stamp of the administration's approval

Those who vote as he would have them vote are to be recommended to constituency as good and faithful servants but woe to those whose votes recorded otherwise—their names shall be anathema to be marked for laughter in the balloting places of the people

WAITING FOR SHOWDOWN

Thus the Governor would form a Club of Undesirables that may become as famous in its way as the Ananias Club of late occupant of the White House And to means to do it just as soon as there is a sign of opposition in either House to the bills which are part of the administration's program of reform legislation

The first showdown will doubtless come on the Railroad Commission bill which was sent in yesterday accompanied by a message from the Governor insisting upon its immediate enactment The Governor has taken the stand that a vote recorded against this bill will be a vote to favor the Southern Pacific

LABEL ON HIS ENEMIES

I shall see to it that the people of each district learn of the good work of their representative so they may hold him in the esteem he merits says the Governor And I shall also see to it that each district learns of the pretense and hypocrisy of a member representing it that it shall know whether such member represents the people or the Southern Pacific

As a precedent for his course Johnson cited the action of La Follette in Wisconsin but declares that what it took La Follette three years to accomplish he intends to bring about in one year that task being the separating of his opponents from those who are for him and letting the people know just where each man stands

'A short time ago while I was in the East Senator La Follette of Wisconsin told me how he won his fight for the people in that State He kept strict tab on every Legislator A list was made of the law-makers regardless of party and the records were closely kept

'When election time came La Follette went into every district where the unfaithful Legislators were seeking reelection from the people and he vigorously opposed every such candidate regardless of his party La Follette told the people without any meaning of words exactly what such lawmakers had done to oppose the will of the people

'And he succeeded in getting a Legislature that was dominated by high principle and progressive mind It took him three years to win his fight When La Follette told me that it would take as long out here I told him that he didn't know the temper of the people of California, and that we would accomplish it in one year

ONE SESSION ENOUGH.

"And we will We have a splendid Legislature, a body of men who are not responsive to the interests and are determined to do the will of the people I expect that we shall accomplish our design in one session

Going further in his determination to line the Legislators up on these questions the Governor said that he will not only scrutinize the acts but also the motives of those who are against him.

"The peculiar opposition that appears against every real movement in the interest of decency,' he said, 'will also be in evidence The motives of those who engaged in this good fight will be whisperingly questioned

If you find legislators who are lawyers making wry faces and questioning the constitutionality of proposed measures—measures be it remembered that have been passed upon by every law officer of the State—watch him well because his opposition on that point is a pretense and a sham

And if any Legislator seeks to lead the real issue by a pretense of investigating something long past and with which he long has been familiar His design should be apparent

VEILED SLAP AT WRIGHT

In this there is a veiled slap at Senator Wright of San Diego, who is opposing the confirmation of the Governor's friend E T Earl of Los Angeles to a place on the board of trustees of the normal school Johnson says that Earl and Arthur Letts the two men appointed by him have wealth and leisure enough to enable them to serve acceptably as trustees and that Wright is opposing Earl's confirmation for no good reason except to harass the administration

The Governor's immediate supporters snorted in glee When they heard of his pronouncement of war and harkened to it as a call to arms That's the way to give it to them said a spokesman among the insurgents

Put the opposition will manifest its if in no uncertain terms and here I sure I be the sound of battle when the Governor begins to call the roll

S. P. Patent Lands Jumped by Oil Men

Locations Filed in the Great Gas Belt and Gusher Valley

BAKERSFIELD Jan 14—Mining locations bearing date of January 10 were placed on record today by J M Darrigget C A Canfield et al covering 80 acres of Southern Pacific patented land in townships 3, 34 31 and 11 23

The land lies in township 32 34 is adjacent to the property of the Honolulu Consolidated Oil company in the gas belt of the Buena Vista hills Township 31 23 includes rich gusher land in the Midway valley and township 11 23 is south and east of Sunset

None of this land is included in the sections the title to which is to be tested by the suit filed by the United States government against the Southern Pacific

In case the land on which the locations were filed was patented to the railroad in the seventies and nineties while the land involved in the suit was patented about seven years ago

Southern Pacific land in addition in the oil townsite was jumped some time ago by small locators but the railroad is moving them off as fast as it sells the lots giving the purchasers possession of the land

REP. McLACHLAN GIVES HOUSE WAR DATA

WASHINGTON Jan 14—Representative McLachlen of California today laid before the house a coast defense review by Frederick Louis Huidekoper military critic in which it is held that the United States could not immediately withstand invasion by the Germans on the Atlantic coast or by the Japanese on the Pacific coast

The American people should know that their army is in a lamentable state and that our means of defense except for the navy are virtually nil' says his writer

The American army today has only enough ammunition for a single engagement The field artillery does not possess enough manufactured ammunition to fight so much as one battle

'How long would our thirty regiments of infantry stand against the 200 000 troops which Germany would land on the Atlantic coast or Japan on the Pacific coast within five weeks after the declaration of war?

We Americans think our militia a wonderful force Nothing could be further from the truth from a military standpoint

"Never in our history have we been prepared for war A good business man cannot be made in a day or a month. Neither can a good soldier

"Washington declared that 'We ought to have a good army rather than a large one' Today we have neither'

Mr Huidekoper's statement is based on expert information obtained through years of study and close application to the subject.

NEBRASKA STRONG FOR THE COAST

Citizens of That State Boost San Francisco for the Panama Exposition.

OMAHA Neb, Jan 14—That California is losing no opportunity to forward her claims to the Panama Exposition fight was demonstrated in Omaha today by the arrival of Robert Newton Lynch vice-president and manager of the California Development Board

At the Western Land Products Exposition which is to open on January 18 one entire day is to be devoted to California and the Panama Pacific Exposition The day designated is Wednesday January 25 and a program of great interest has been arranged An address of welcome will be made by Mayor Dahlman of Omaha who will be followed by President Cole of the Commercial Club

Lynch will go on to Washington where he will join the exposition delegation and return to Omaha on the 24th bringing with him a distinguished coterie of California's delegation to take part in the events of the day

One of the big features of the day will be the distribution of characteristic products of the Golden State Fresno will supply thousands of loaves of raisin bread Special music has been obtained for the occasion and will be supplied by the Hawaiian orchestra

BACKS CALIFORNIA

Nebraska is back of California in every way and feels that the interests of this section lie in the West hence the Western Land Products exposition is making a big feature of California and at the same time has been refusing requests for more space to Southern interests

Much attention has been given to the display of Luther Burbank's products which are in the hands of W D Nichols of the Alameda county exhibit In that regard special literature has been sent to a mailing list of over 1 000 Western farmers The California Development Board will take an active part in the convention of the Western Development Leagues and all the near States will be represented by their respective governors

Resolutions in the form of an indorsement of San Francisco for the Panama Pacific Exposition will be put before that board The Californians in Omaha plan to entertain Nebraska's Governor and Omaha's leading citizens at a dinner given the evening of California la

NOTHING THAT CAN WORK FORFEITURE

Answer Filed Regarding Suit Against the Sutter Street Railway Franchise.

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Grounds upon which the Sutter Street Railway Company claims the right to operate electric cars on the outer tracks on Market street are set forth at length in an answer filed today to the suit brought last April by the city to revoke the franchise held by the Sutter Street Company

The railway company asserts that it has lived up to the terms of its franchise in every respect and that there are no reasonable grounds on which to base a suit for forfeiture

Its franchise of June 8 1887 is the basis of the company's claim It is stated further that ordinance 760 approved by the board of supervisors on June 12 1906 still is sufficient ground on which to establish its rights to the outer tracks

In answer to the allegations set forth by the city attorney the company denies that the car service on the outer tracks on Market street from Sutter street to the waterfront does not accommodate the public is inadequate unsatisfactory or is of little use

NOT INADEQUATE SERVICE

It is stated that a much better and quicker service could and would be furnished if the supervisors would grant permission for the company to operate cable cars on the tracks in question It is stated that the service is as rapid at present as horse power will permit That the company is willing and anxious to give the public a better service from Sutter street to the ferry but has been refused the privilege Likewise set forth in the document filed today

TWO ARGUMENTS MADE.

Two of the principal arguments against the suit brough by the city are as follows That the company began operating under the present franchise in 1888 and that suit was not begun to attack the validity of the franchise until more than twenty two years afterward and that the transfer of the rights of the United Railroads alleged in the city's suits occurred according to the charge more than eight years before the action condemning it was started

It is further stated that none of the acts complained of in the city's suit has occurred within a year prior to the filing of that suit For these reasons it is claimed the city is barred from declaring the franchise void

HAS WORKING AGREEMENT

Specific denial that the United Railroads Sutter street railway is managed controlled or operated by the United Railroads is made It is admitted that the company has a working agreement with the United Railroad by which it is allowed it would give its patrons a still greater better and faster service

The Sutter Street Company states that it has complied in every respect with the city ordinance of June 1906 and relying upon the provisions of that ordinance has invested $ 000 000 in construction and equipment

The answer is signed by the attorneys Tirey L Ford A F St Sure and Garrett W McEnerney and by Frederic C Boeckmann president of the company Jesse Steinhart represents the city attorney's office in the case. It will be tried before Judge Seawell

Mining Exhibit for Panama Exposition

SACRAMENTO Jan 14—To prepare for a suitable mining exhibit at the Panama-Pacific exposition the legislators from the mining counties met today and perfected an organization with Assemblyman Dan Williams of Sonora as chairman The others present were Gaylord of Placer Hayes of Santa Clara Rutherford of Nevada, Stewart of Calaveras and Wyllie of Tulare The plan proposed is to have an exhibit consisting of unmined nuggets of pure gold valued at $1,000,000.

CONNAUGHT GOES TO CANADA SOON AS ITS GOVERNOR

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

OTTAWA Ontario Jan 14—All doubt as to whether the Duke of Connaught will be the next governor general of Canada was set at rest today by the arrival from England of the formal notice that the King's uncle had accepted the office

The Duke also has decided on a number of appointments to his staff His military secretary it is said will be Major Henry Cecil Lowther of the Scots Guards who accompanied his royal highness to South Africa and was for some time the military attache at Paris Lowther is a son of the Right Hon James Lowther speaker of the British House

Arthur F Slade private secretary of his excellency Earl Grey will act in the same capacity for the Duke

It is said that the date the Duke will arrive in Canada has been fixed as September 1

TOLSTOI'S ESTATE PUT ON MARKET

Nephew Reaches New York to Complete Negotiations for Sale

NEW YORK Jan 14—Michael Kousminsky a nephew of the late Count Tolstoi who came here from Russia to try to find a purchaser for his uncle's estate announced today that Charles R Flint proposed to take the property under certain conditions Negotiations had been begun with Mr Carnegie but Carnegie declined to buy the ground for the reason that Russia was a long way from New York

Mr Flint has made an offer to buy the estate on condition that the 1700 acres of the Tolstoi donation settlement and the cost of erecting a school of agriculture a hospital and a library shall be paid for by an international syndicate funds to which the admirers of the late count might send donations said Tolstoi's nephew

On the remaining 600 acres Mr Flint proposes to erect a permanent exhibition building for American agriculture machinery and cultivate the land by modern methods

Suffragists Divided in Legislative Lobby

SACRAMENTO Jan 14 — There is trouble in the suffragist lobby A difference of opinion as to the methods to be used in presenting the cause to the legislators has led to a schism in the ranks

Mrs Charles Farwell Edson of Los Angeles and Mrs Lillian Harris Coffin of San Francisco represent one camp and Mrs Hazel Younger and Miss Louise Irene president of the Waitresses union of San Francisco is the other

Mrs Edson and Mrs Coffin believe that the work can be carried on most effectively by meeting the legislators in the hotel parlors after having been properly introduced and presenting the cause in a dignified manner

But Mrs Younger and Miss Larue believe that the legislators should be talked to while they are at their desks in the respective houses with their law books before them so that there is no chance for them to plead ignorance of the statutes or dodge the issue

Each faction has been following its own method

Would-be Champion in Suicide Attempts

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Kate Parker is determined to forfeit attempted suicide record of the Pacific slope If she is really not entitled to the championship of the world she has tried to shuffle off this coiling which is thirty nine by a trial on last Wednesday she tried and failed She is 58 years old and at one time served as a detective under Captain Kelly in Golden Gate Park She is a well known character in the police courts

Last evening she drank chloroform at 1310 Eddy street and was taken to the Central Emergency Hospital She recovered after treatment and berated the hospital attendants and declared her intention of being them one of these days

"Halter Man" Dies After Long Illness

J E Case well known in racing circles at Emeryville died this morning at Chico following an extended illness Case was known as the halter man at Emeryville He was 33 years old and a native of Modesto He is survived by his parents, Mr and Mrs J Case of Chico, and a sister, Mrs Walter Pilgrim of Chico.

STANFORD STUDENT ACCUSED BY GIRL

Story of Disgraceful Episode Is Told in Juvenile Court at San Jose.

SAN JOSE Jan 14 - The story of wild escapade of a Stanford student and a 15 year-old girl of this city named May Perry was told in the juvenile court of this county yesterday and at a recent meeting of the juvenile court auxiliary

The girl in question May Perry, disappeared from her home in this city a week ago Friday She was known to have been a friend of Al Kelley a Stanford senior whose home is in Canada

Kelley had an auto and plenty of money He is said to be the son of a wealthy man

According to the story told here a special officer of the juvenile court took the matter up with Prof A B Clark of Stanford University when the girl failed to return to her home after several days absence Kelley was called into the case and was informed that he would have to produce the girl within four hours or suffer the consequences He asked for a little time and telephoned to a friend In a short time the girl was produced and Kelley is said to have been denied the privilege of registering this semester

The story told in the juvenile auxiliary meeting was that of a young girl who had been lured from her home in San Jose by a student taken to San Francisco in an automobile and kept for days at a hotel

All persons except those intimately concerned were excluded from the juvenile courtroom when the case of the Perry girl was brought up yesterday She is said to have told her story frankly and fearlessly

PLAN MONUMENT TO TYPIFY RECONSTRUCTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 14—The reconstruction of San Francisco is to be commemorated by a monument at Market and O'Farrell streets and Grant avenue

The Downtown Association which has been working for the beautification of the downtown shopping district today opened a subscription list The monument will cost not less than $10 000

Special invitations have been extended to Haig Patigian Earl Cummings Arthur Putnam Douglas Tilden Edgar Walter and Robert Aitken to submit designs

All other sculptors residing in California are eligible to compete

The artist to whom the work will be awarded will receive at least $600

Five per cent of the cost of the work will be paid for the design in addition to a first prize of $100 a second prize of $50 and a third prize of $30

'We realize' said James Woods manager of the Hotel St Francis, chairman of the lighting committee of the association that the most careful consideration must be given to the design and general character of any monument and to be an expression of contemporary art of California

'We are putting the responsibility upon the artists themselves

A contract for the construction of the work may be given the winner as well as the prize for the design

So much money was raised immediately upon opening the subscription that it is possible a much larger appropriation will be made for the monument

The lighting committee, in charge of the list is composed of James Woods John R Walter and Charles A Stewart

EIGHTY-DOLLAR BILL FOUND IN THE SOUTH

LOS ANGELES Jan 14—Brown with age, but with the printing still legible, a piece of continental currency good for eighty Spanish dollars was found among some old papers of Miss E B Myrer of 1404 Vermont avenue The currency was issued in January, 1779 and the certificate bears two signatures in ink which are not legible The money has been in the possession of the Myrer family for generations

Miss Myrer also possesses a portrait of the Madonna, which is known to be 300 years old The painting is beautifully colored and finely executed and from the draperies shown in it experts have pronounced it a work from the north of Italy, but they are unable to arrive at the identity of the author the painting is hung in the old Myrer home 6 Columbus square Boston Mass

Among the other antiques preserved by Miss Myrer is a passport to Germany issued by Governor Marcus Morton of Massachusetts in 1840 Miss Myrer has traced her ancestors back to 1672 and has in her home at Boson heirlooms of the oldest known generations She is passing the winter in Los Angeles

MISS HELEN TAFT IS MRS. J. R. McLEAN'S GUEST

WASHINGTON Jan 14—Many people of Washington consider Mrs J R McLean its most charming hostess and therefore those bidden to her cotillion in honor of Miss Helen Taft this afternoon were regarded as very fortunate

Tonight the McLean house on Sherman square was a bower of flowers and the ballroom was transformed into a fairyland A dance for a hundred couples was served before the cotillion which was led by Preston Gibson assisted by George Howard

STARVING MAN GETS JOB THAT SPELLS DEATH

PITTSBURG Jan 14—After walking the streets of Pittsburg starving Robert Caughey finally secured a job cleaning windows for which he was promised $1 to buy food

He mounted a step ladder with a pail of water but in his weakness fell to the ground and there He fell to the pavement and was so badly injured that he died

Mrs. Harding Obeys Country Club Ruling

Mrs Thomas Harding who has made her home at the Claremont Country Club for several seasons past has taken apartments in Clowne Court Berkeley for the winter Recently the the board of directors of which Sam Bell McKee is president, passed a law that no guests should remain at the club house longer than a fortnight.

CRAZED SLAYER OF SON RAVES OVER HIS DEATH

Thought the Child Better Dead Than to Face Life's Struggle.

KISSED HIM ON CHEEK AND PRAYED FOR HIM

Detectives Working on Theory That Women Wanted to Wed Again.

ALBANY N Y, Jan 14—Mrs Edith Melber, the young widow who confessed to the Rochester police yesterday that she had slain her 5-year-old son George by giving him poison because she could not support him, arrived here late this afternoon in charge of a detective and was hurried to the jail in a closed carriage She was weak and nervous and constantly on the verge of hysterics There was no demonstration on her arrival at the railroad station but a great crowd surrounded police headquarters when she arrived

In speaking of the murder of her son to Police Matron Kerber before she left Rochester she sobbed I thought it was better for him to die than to face the struggle I have had

Only once during the five hour trip from Rochester she spoke to the detective about the dead child saying

WANTS TO SEE BOY

'I want to see George I want to go to his funeral and I don't want my folks to be allowed to bury him They would not care for him in life why should they be allowed to do so now that he is gone' I want my black clothes brought from Schenectady to me because I must go to my baby's funeral

She told the detective once on the train that she had not only knelt and kissed the little face as it lay on the snow but had said a prayer before she left it

Other than the brief conversation about who should care for the child and her wish to see it she made no reference to little George

DID SHE WANT TO WED?

The police work now on the theory that Mrs Melber killed her son because he was an obstacle in the way of her remarriage today questioned Howard Kirk of Schenectady whom it is said to be engaged to her Kirk denied this and said he never had any intention of marrying Mrs Melber

It is believed that Mrs Melber's defense will be insanity Her sister Mrs William E Simmons of Syracuse has a number of letters which she says indicates that Mrs Melber was not in her right mind

LOCKS HUBBY IN THEN ELOPES

Berlin Merchant's Wife Proves Meanest Woman in the World.

BERLIN Jan 14—A well to do Berlin merchant whose name the newspapers suppress is mourning the loss of his wife hope in unfortunate circumstances on Christmas Eve

The merchant who is 56 years old had been living in ideal happiness with his 50 year old wife since their marriage in 1908 He did not suspect her affection for the grave at once bookkeeper who recently entered his employ and the young man was invited to join the family Christmas festivities on Saturday evening

Just after the merchant had handed his faithful clerk a purse filled with gold and his wife a collection of costly jewels the woman asked him to ride himself in his bedroom for a moment as she wanted to try out a little surprise for him He laughingly complied and he offered no objection when his wife cried merrily to him For safety's sake I am going to lock you in

He waited patiently to be released but as the minutes grew into half an hour he became impatient and called to the servants to let him out With the aid of a locksmith his release was effected and he to his horror the merchant discovered that his wife and the bookkeeper were missing together with 150 pounds sterling in cash from the safe which had been thoroughly rifled On a table the merchant found a letter from his wife saying that her love for a husband more than twice her own age had grown cold and that she had decided to flee with the real object of her affections

Holding of Mock Elections in Schools

SACRAMENTO Jan 14—Assemblyman Benninger of San Bernardino county has been asked by some of his constituents who are engaged in educational work to introduce a bill providing for the holding of mock elections in high schools It is suggested that the law provide a course of instruction in the method of holding elections so that the students may become familiar with the use of the ballot

To Protect Lives of Beach Bathers

SACRAMENTO Jan 14—Assemblyman Slater of Santa Rosa has in preparation of a bill designed to prevent the loss of life in rivers and treacherous streams which is part of the annual summer resort harvest The bill will require owners or keepers of pleasure resorts along the course of such streams to post notices stating the depth of the water at points used for bathing also to rope off such parts of the streams as may be unsafe for those who are unable to swim

RECORD HIGH TIDE

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Today's tide was the highest noted for several months but the lack of high winds prevented any waves washing over the wharves When the Harvard docked this morning its guard rail surmounted the old fender piles at the Pacific street wharf by more than two feet [illegible] and higher fender piles had been driven to guard for the occasion As a rule [illegible]

LAUGHS AT IDEA OF OIL OCTOPUS CONTROL

Los Angeles Magnate Says the Standard Cannot Get a Monopoly.

SAN FRANCISCO DESERVES THE FAIR

He Declares Los Angeles Is Boosting Golden Gate City for Exposition.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14. — "The oil trust can never monopolize the oil output of California. The independents are too strongly intrenched." Thus spoke Edward L. Doheny, one of the largest producers of oil in the country, in discussing today the great development of the industry in the last ten years. Mr. Doheny, who hails from Los Angeles, has been here for the last few days with two of his partners, Dr. Norman Bridge and Charles A. Canfield, also of Los Angeles.

Mr. Doheny has made a fortune in oil. He is president of the various companies that own immense stretches of oil fields in California and Mexico. The principal concern of the chain is the American Oil Field Company.

"I don't know that the Standard Oil Company ever really expected to have the California oil fields to itself," Mr. Doheny said: "It certainly would be an ambitious undertaking and one that would fall of accomplishment. California is rich with oil felds. There is an apparently endless supply."

SHOULD HAVE FAIR.

Mr. Doheny referred to the effort to have San Francisco picked for the Panama exposition. "San Francisco should have the exposition," he declared. "The city has rehabilitated itself in a wonderful way since the fire. It has raised a more beautiful city upon the ashes of the old. Los Angeles wants San Francisco to get it and we are working to that end. The Mexican Gas Company has recently completed an extensive gas plant and piping service in the City of Mexico involving an expenditure of $5,000,000. The obstacle in the way of gas service until Doheny's firm took hold of the problem was the high cost of fuel with which to make gas.

Coal costs $5 a ton to bring overland to Mexico and that was prohibitive. Doheny's firm has piped oil from its Mexico fields to Hamplcoc, a distance of 200 miles, and from there transports it by rail to Mexico City. This enables the firm to make gas with the use of oil as fuel. The gas sells at $1.20 a thousand feet while some years ago the charge was $2.50.

"We are going to spend $5,500,000 more in establishing a pipe line system into Mexico City," said Doheny.

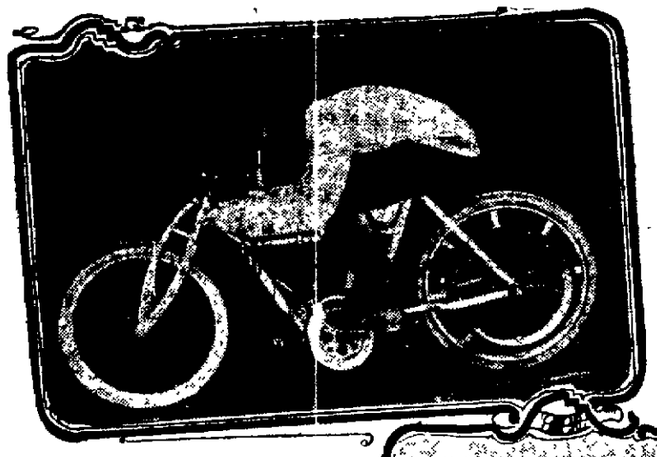
25 TONS OF CANDY FOR FACTORY GIRLS

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Jan. 14.—General Superintendent John Lynch of the Union Supply Company has ordered twenty-five tons of candy in 50,000 one-pound boxes to be distributed among as many boys and girls around the works of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, allied with the supply company.

Hundreds of families in the coke region this year cannot afford to observe Christmas even in a small way.

Monday, December 26, at 8 a. m., Santa Claus will appear at every coke plant. Boys and girls, old men and old women, and whoever desires to get in line, will get a pound package of candy. Business will be entirely suspended. Preparations have been made to handle big crowds at each of the sixty-three centers of distribution.

THEO SAMUELSON on a seven-horsepower N. S. W. Motorcycle. Samuelson is one of the fastest of the seven-horsepower Motor riders.



AVIATION MEET HELPS AUTO TRADE

Lovers of Motor Cars as a Rule Also Interested in the Aeroplanes.

The aviation meet according to E. P. Brinegar, president of the Pioneer Automobile Company, has given a decided stimulus to the automobile trade. "It is a fact," said Brinegar in this connection, "that people interested in aeroplanes are usually also lovers of motor cars. There is a well defined sympathy between these two types of motor driven vehicles. Both represent speed and both serve to remove the old limitations by which the human physique was bound. Both likewise open up limitless new possibilities to man.

The present meet has brought a large number of people, interested in motor affairs, to town and those people are taking advantage of the opportunity thus presented them for investigation of the local automobile market. During the entire past week our salesroom has been unusually well crowded with out of town prospects. The interest shown by these people is one of the best indications, that has so far come to my notice, of the big trade that we can expect this season throughout California. A pleasing feature of this investigation has been the attention given a car of such high class as the Lozier. We find that many former owners who previously owned cheap cars are now looking for the highest grade machines. Our Chalmers "40" foredoor car is also attracting much interest. There is also a big demand for both the Hudson and the Chalmers "30."

Diamond Tires Prove Truck Efficiency

An indication of the high efficiency achieved in the manufacture of Commercial vehicle tires is given by the following letter received by the local branch of the Diamond Rubber Company from the Pacific Freight and Transportation Company of Oakland. It reads:

"A little over three months ago we put on four Gramm Motor Trucks which have averaged fifty and sixty miles per day each.

"Two of these are equipped with Diamond wire mesh base tires, single 36x5 front and twin 36x4 rear.

"From the above you can see that they have covered fully 5000 miles to date without hardly any wear and I firmly believe that they are good for six to nine months more service.

"It is needless to say that we are more than pleased with the service we are getting from these tires; and in view of the fact that we consider the Diamond Rubber Company are in better position to care for us at all times, we expect to use only Diamond tires on all our trucks in the future.

"For your information will state that we put on another Gramm truck a few days ago and it is also equipped with your tires."

Haynes Cars Attract Attention at Shows

Advices received by the Haynes Auto Sales Company state that the new model seven passenger Haynes is among the cars attracting the greatest attention at the New York show. Speaking in this connection N. S. Cochran says: "Haynes representatives at the New York show advise us that the recent Haynes seven passenger car has been accorded a remarkable reception. This is but to be expected in view of the record made during past years by other Haynes models. This seven passenger car which has a larger engine than the smaller model is similar in other respects and is quite as easily operated.

"We will have one of these cars on display at the San Francisco Auto Show which comes at a convenient time for us. In fact, I believe the only logical time to hold a show on this coast is after the manufacturers have had their displays in the East. Under no other circumstances can it be expected that all the dealers have their 1911 models out here. Furthermore it is at the opening of the spring selling season that the public is most interested in investigating cars.

RAY SEYMOUR, who will ride a seven-horsepower Indian Motorcycle at the Motordrome.

TOO FEW CLOTHES ALARM TEACHERS

Boys Celebrating "Ray Day" March Through Halls of School.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 14.—The march of Coxey's army to Washington was reproduced at the Kirkwood High school.

Five of the 40 students of the upper classes who celebrated "rag day" were sent home by Principal M. E. Hard for more substantial covering. It is said there was hardly enough cloth in the entire five costumes to make one whole suit.

The boys who were sent home were: Earl Radcliffe, Warren Taussig, Dave Guild, Ed McCulloch and Gordon Henderson.

Shortly before the session opened Thursday the boys, attired in rags, formed into line in front of the school and suddenly burst in upon an astonished group of teachers and girl students. At first it appeared as if a section of How's hoboes had swooped down on the school, but closer scrutiny showed that they were school boys. After marching up and down the hall through two lines of girl students, the boys started on a tour of the class rooms. The parade was stopped in the first room and Principal Hard was summoned by the teacher.

"This is simply outrageous," the teacher told the principal.

"What is?" the principal inquired.

"Why, the boys are dressed like a lot of tramps, and they are parading through the school," the teacher explained.

When Principal Hard arrived in the room, the boys "stood at attention." Most of them appeared as if they were trying to forget all about the parade.

BOYS SENT HOME.

"What does this mean?" the principal demanded, as he walked between the line of trembling students.

"This is rag day, professor," one of the students responded, timidly.

After completing his inspection, Principal Hard called five of the boys by name.

"Step into my office, young men," he commanded. The young men obeyed.

The exit of the five boys was followed by an acute silence, which was broken a few minutes later by the tittering of the girl students. The boys nervously fingered their fantastic costumes, but not a word was spoken. The situation was becoming serious.

The agony was relieved by the return of the principal, who, in his starnest tones, commanded:

"You boys go to your desks."

There was a brief struggle at the door, and a few minutes later, 40 students were studying industriously. The parade was over.

"I sent five of the boys home because their costumes were undignified and indiscreet," Principal Hard said later. There is a limit to all things. The dignity of this institution must be upheld."

TOO PROUD TO BEG; TOO HONEST TO STEAL

STOCKTON, Jan. 14.—Too honest to steal a ride on a railroad train, and too proud to appeal to the local authorities for aid, Joe Martinas, a former Santa Fe laborer, who recently had his foot badly crushed beneath a falling rail, finished the last few miles of a long and tiresome walk to Sonora Sunday while other people were enjoying their Christmas dinners.

The accident occurred to Martinas some time ago. He was taken to a San Francisco hospital, where all of the toes on the injured foot were amputated. A short time ago he was discharged from the hospital. He had enough money to bring him as far as Stockton. He arrived in this city broke, but having friends in Sonora, started on the long walk of fifty miles. The hard tramp reopened the wound, which had barely healed and he arrived in Sonora in a pitiful condition. Friends immediately bought a return ticket to Stockton and he was brought here yesterday and taken to the hospital at French Camp, where he is being cared for.

SON'S ABSENCE MAY KILL HIS MOTHER

MARYSVILLE, Cal., Jan. 14—Stricken with paralysis and dying from grief over the prolonged silence of her boy, William Sullivan, who was last heard from in Marysville, Mrs. C. F. Sullivan is being nursed away from death's door by an anxious husband and father far back at 327 West Fifth street, Elmira, New York.

In a heart-rending letter, telling the suffering of a grief-stricken mother and a loving father, the prospects of their son and their hopes for him, and last, of his wanderings Sullivan has written to Mine Host Dewel of the United States hotel of Marysville, where the son stayed when last heard from, begging the slightest information that might lead to knowledge of his present whereabouts.

Young Sullivan stopped at the United States hotel September 19. At that time he was looking for work and had planned traveling into the districts of the Sacramento valley on his quest. It is thought that he is now located in or near some town of the valley.

He is described as six feet in height, 196 pounds in weight, smooth shaven, with dark hair and drooping shoulders, and about 24 years of age.

SAYS CHAUFFEUR WILL BE KILLED

Washington Justice Predicts Some Westerner Will Shoot Reckless Driver.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Chief Justice White and Justice Harlan enjoy walking, but Justice Harlan find automobiles disquieting and dislikes them as much as Senator Bailey and Champ Clark.

The two jurists recently started up Pennsylvania avenue on their way home. When crossing a side street an automobile came whizzing around a corner, and Justice Harlan was saved from possible injury by the chief justice.

"Let me make a prophecy," said Justice Harlan, after he had recovered his breath.

"Some day a real man from the west—from that section of the country where men do not permit other men to trifle with their feelings—some day such a man will come to Washington. He will walk along Pennsylvania avenue, just as you and I are walking. As he starts across the street an automobile will come bowling along at break-neck speed and come within an inch of taking off a leg. It will be an old story with the driver, but a new one with the man from the west. That particular man from the west will pull his shooting-iron from his pocket and fill the reckless driver full of holes, and judge though I am, I believe the man from the west will get off scot free."

BLAMES WAR SCARES ON ARMAMENT MAKERS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14—War scares are largely inspired by "armament contractors, who ultimately would drag various countries into the bankruptcy court," declared Francis W. Hirst, editor of the London Economist, in an address before the International conference of the American Society for Judicial Settlement of International Disputes.

He characterized as absurd the purchase of Dreadnaughts by Brazil "to protect itself against Argentina," and declared that the rivalry between Japan and the United States was crushing the people of Japan under a load of taxes, while armament expenditures also were wrecking the finances of Great Britain and Germany.

General appreciation of war was added to by Dean Charles Noble Gregory of Iowa State University, who said aviation was a new means of destroying man by overhead attacks, the inland cities now being no more immune from invasion than the sea coast point.

The permanent court of arbitral justice, the purposes of which the society hopes ultimately to put into effect, received favorable and unfavorable treatment by various speakers during the day, although almost all paid tribute to efforts of United States to further it.

AT 70 THIS MAN ENTERS COLLEGE

John D. Elwell Would Join Interests in Wall Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—John D. Elwell, a well-known Brooklynite, born in Johnson street seventy years ago, has entered the Connecticut Agricultural College at Storrs, Conn. for the college winter courses of 1911.

Elwell, who, in looks and action more nearly resembles a well preserved man of 50 years than 70, laughingly acknowledged the amusing side of the situation, but added that it was purely incidental to his purchase of a 400-acre farm at East Hampton, Conn., with the intention of abandoning the banking business in New York for "back to the farm."

Urged to explain his reasons for the change, Elwell said that he had come to the conclusion that any great success in business in Wall street now depends upon connection or alliance with "the interests" there. Without that, practically, the struggle is useless, as any one not in combination with "the interests" was pretty certain to be despoiled of anything of real value acquired as soon as it was known that he possessed it.

The atmosphere of farm life is in direct contrast to "the street"—friendly, instead of hostile—and every one finds increasing pleasure in friendliness as his age lengthens.

VISITS THE FIRST TRADING POST

Fort Pelly, Where Hudson Bay Company Started, Still Exists.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—"Unless the Canadian government suddenly awakes to the importance of preserving the fast crumbling relics of its early days, Chicago may soon become possessor of a historic building whose place in the history of North America ranks only below Mount Vernon and the Plymouth Rock."

Such was the statement of Dr. S. C. Simms, assistant curator of the Field Museum, who returned from a six weeks' trip through Central and Northern Canada. Most of that time he spent at Fort Pelly, in Saskatchewan province where the Hudson Bay Company founded its first inland trading post after being granted a charter by Charless II.

Except for the invasion of a single line of railroad and a telegraph line, Doctor Simms found the place existing much as it was 150 or 200 years ago. The traders live in the same old mammoth log building, sit in the same handmade chairs, cook over the same great fireplace, and swap knives and calico for skins with the descendants of the same Indians who first watched the invasion of the pale face. But even the sturdy buildings and fixtures of those days are beginning to fall apart, and unless something is done to preserve or restore them future historians will be robbed of much material they might use advantageously, and it is to this end that Dr. Simms will seek to interest both the United States and the Canadian government in this work of conservation.

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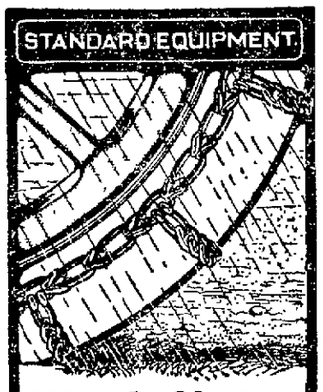

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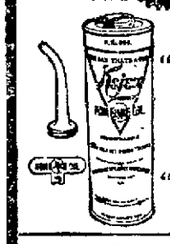

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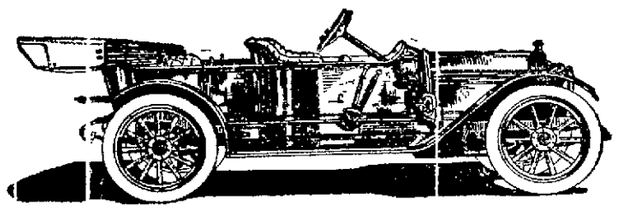

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It indicates that within a short time individual buyers will have contracted for every car we can deliver by May.

We cannot increase our output.

In all probability many buyers will be disappointed then in that they will be unable to get a Hudson "33."

To be sure of obtaining desirable seats at the theater where the successful play is to be seen, one must arrange for them early.

Successful things are always in demand no matter what condition may prevail in the trade affecting other articles of the same character.

Some artists, lawyers, architects doctors and manufacturers in all lines are always busy because they are leaders. They are different from the many that pretends to give a similar service.

Let us consider the position of the Hudson "33."

Dealers who contracted for more than 10,000 cars and backed their judgment with hundreds of thousands of dollars before a single car was ready for delivery, did not overestimate the success of the Hudson "33."

It is the most talked about car of the season, for it is the one advanced automobile of the year.

If the first day's sales indicate anything, all cars will be contracted for by individual buyers before early spring. Hadn't you better look at the Hudson "33" now?

Desirable cars are difficult to obtain when they are wanted.

The six leading makers, in all probability, will find it impossible to make prompt deliveries on all orders in May and June.

That is our position.

If you intend buying this spring, begin your investigation at once and assure yourself of delivery when you want it. There will be no change in models or price.

Even cars that ordinarily have small demand, will sell freely in May and June.

Get the car you want by deciding now.

You can get three months' extra use without extra cost.

A 1910 car driven 15,000 miles can be sold with less sacrifice than a 1909 model used only half as much.

Therefore, get your 1911 model early. It can be resold in the fall to as great an advantage as if it were delivered in May.

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Arasee, Despised in Betting, Wins the Lissak

RANK OUTSIDER EASILY CAPTURES RICH MILE RACE

Oakland, Crack Two-Year Old, Has No Trouble in Repeating Past Performances

What will the "wiseacres" who, when Arasee failed to win last Wednesday and predicted that he was a poor muddier, think now?

In the muddiest kind of muddy going, "Early" Wright's winner of the Opening Handicap and other minor half-holiday features, demonstrated conclusively before a big and enthusiastic gathering of race fans at the Oakland track that all kinds of going look alike to him by winning the Lissak Handicap the main event of the racing card, in sensational fashion at the fairly odds of 14 to 1 making a classy field of so-called muddiers eat his mud all the way down the stretch.

This event was at a mile and is one of the richest stakes of the California racing season. Of the ten entries eight prominent three dodged the issue, leaving a field of seven to parade into the hands of Starter Richard Dwyer. The start was not one of the veteran commencer's best, however, Coppertown, on which thousands of dollars were wagered, being practically left at the post.

In the jam which followed the start Arasee became tangled up with his field and when they reached the first quarter he had been shuffled back to absolutely last place. Early Wright was in front setting the pace with Rosevale close at his heels, and the others closely bunched. Coppertown made a hard race for it attempted third place once, but the effort tired him and he was forced to give it up.

Glass put up a masterly ride on the son of Blues-Branch gradually urged him to the front passing the leaders at the head of the stretch as if he had been shot out of a gun. They took the track and slapsied down the stretch fetlock deep in mire past the judges stand three and one half lengths to the good. Rosevale was tiring very fast but under a hustling finish managed to nose out Veneta Stromo by an eyelash. Spellbound the favorite showed only a flash of early speed and then trailed along in fourth place all the way.

Every horse in the race was more or less supported not even excepting the winner, who with Phil Mohr at 40 to 1 were the rank outsiders.

BEST IN THE RACE

"Early" Wright's clever performer was undoubtedly the best one in the race yesterday and clearly demonstrated that he can negotiate the route as well as a fast track. The mud seems to bring him down at a mile and no hung aspirations.

Shouldering the handicap giving impost of 120 pounds allotted him the veteran, Oakland turf trainer Blanchi & McConnell 2-year-old scored in this decisive victory by snatching the purse in the second race by a head from Amen in the fiercest kind of a drive thus stamping himself the undefeated king of the 2-year-old division of 1911. Jimmy McIntyre endeavored his own hand to take the mount on the Beamat he won and it was due to his efforts at the finish that the crack jockey drew sizable nose in front of the Ferguson at the finishing line. The speedy one's snout up a roaring finish when the pair galloped into the winners circle after the race and when the struggle was in progress through the stretch the excitement and cheers for the gritty little one were intense. Vanir stablemate of Amen outgamed Cash On Delivery for the small end of the purse by a head. Both of the Ivers babies ran smashing good races and at a longer route might put it over Oakland. The latter was favorite at 6 to 5.

Domithilda quoted at 7 to 2 with the sensational rider, Hewitt aboard showed decided improvement over her last effort and won the outclass race with consummate ease from the field of indifferent performers that opposed her. Wednesday, when saddle with Japin up the mare ran a bad race. In a driving finish Pen Stone nosed out Yellow Foot to the place.

OUTSIDERS COME TO LIFE

Belle of Iroquois came to life in the fifth race and at last to run down the pacemakers in the stretch winning going away by two lengths at the end. Old Raleigh set the pace to the stretch but could not withstand the challenge of the winner at the end and only holding on long enough to save the place by a neck from the fast coming Dacia. Blacksheep the favorite dogged it badly.

Likely Dieudonne which has been dogging it in his two recent races found it not again and at the juicy price of 8 to 1 held on long enough after leading all the way to grab the buckets in the final dash from Dandy Gip. Fountain Square after following the winner to the stretch turned to third place. Phil Mohr which turned public sentiment with Daddy Gip fifty closing at 2 to 1 ran an indifferent race.

Jockey Guy Garner the star pigskin wiesse success at the present meeting has jumped him the biggest following of any of the local riders heads the list of American jockeys for 1910 in respect to the number of winning mounts. He is surpassed in percentage by Carroll Shilling.

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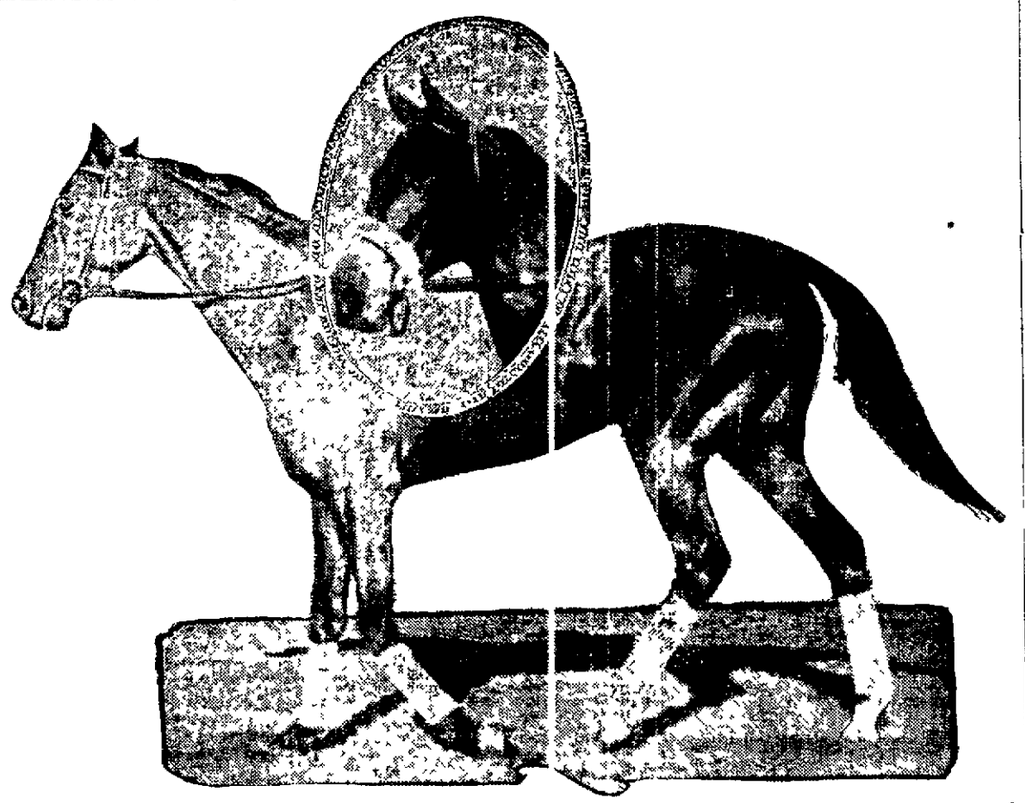
TWO FLEET SPRINTERS WHO GATHERED IN FEED MONEY



The large picture is Arasee, winner of the Lissak handicap — The head is that of John H. Sheehan, who also won yesterday.

Duck Shooting Is Ended By Advent of Big Storm

The storm of the past few days has practically broken up the duck shooting in the bay districts and the clubmen who are wont to wing the feathered fliers on the Suisun Alviso and Sonoma marshes are not likely to get as many chances from now on. With the first downpour the birds started for the inland grain fields where fresh water ponds are now plentiful and the feed is to the liking of the birds.

On the first day of the rainy spell the birds were moving in big flights. Sportsmen who were out on the marshes saw myriads of ducks but most of them were flying so high and fast that much powder was wasted on a fusillade which the ducks must have thought was a good bye salute.

Down in the Los Banos country the preserves are well stocked with birds and the hunters who take their sport in that locality are top full of getting many good shots during the remaining weeks of the season but it is hardly expected that there will be much doing in the vicinity of the bay.

The gunmen are surprised and somewhat amused at the bill which Senator Curtin has introduced into the legislature with a view of putting the gun clubs out of business by making it unlawful to lease or preserve any lands for hunting purposes. It is a radical measure but it is more than likely that even if the senator succeeds in putting the bill through the houses at Sacramento it will prove unconstitutional.

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The California Sportsmen's Game Protective Association will meet next Tuesday night at room 240 Pacific building at their last regular meeting a legislative committee was appointed for the purpose of drafting certain bills to be put before the legislators at Sacramento this season. Some very radical changes in the game laws will be proposed.

Arrangements were also made for a coyote hunt in San Mateo county. It is expected that most of the members in the city and sub-urban towns will participate. Plans will be formulated from time to time toward the destruction of various animals which are continually claiming such heavy tolls on game.

TRIBUNE FORM CHART

OAKLAND RACE TRACK---January 14, 1911 --- 54th day. Fall and Winter meeting. Weather rainy. Track sloppy.

E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge. J. J. HOLTMAN, Starter.

7998 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, selling. 3 year-olds and up. Purse, $300

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7997	Domithilda	4 (B M	Schell)	101	8		6°	6½	5²	1¹½	Hewitt	5-2	7-2
7984	Ben Stone	5 (W C	Clancy)	114	3		1¢	2°	2½	2²⁰	Archibald	4	6
7980	Yellow Foot	6 (G H	Mimmar)	114	6		9³	4³	8h½	3⁸	Fischer	15	8-1
7994	Lady Re	5 (J	Miller)	110	4		7h½	6¾	4³	4⁸	Garner	6	6
8014	Sweetwater	6 (G Bass	ett)	114	6		2°	1h	1¹	5¾	Riddle	8	9-2
7984	Coppertown	4 (J	Meserve & Co)	110	2		3h	3¾	3h½	6¹⁰½	Austin	8	7
8013	Veneta Stromo	5 (R	Wilson & Co)	90	10		8h	7¹	7¹	7³	Sellon	10	12
7892	Mieco J	(J O	and G	Keene)	90	21		10h	9°	5²	8⁴	Riddle	30	60
7998	Hurrpass	5 (J J	Conner)	110	9		5h	11	9¾	9³	Richbaum	8	8
7902	Mexican	(J E	Beaty	90	1		10°	10²	10³	10⁴	Canavaugh	20	20
7830	Miss Sis	4 (J	Sinnott	91	7		4h	8²	11	11	Corey	7	10
7261	Tom Reid	f	Indianola	Stable)	110	Pulled up					Pickett	80	60

Domithilda place 8.8 show 6.6. Stone place 6.— show 6.6. Foot show 5.1.
At post 8 minutes. Off at 1.48. Time —24.8.5. 49.3.5. 1.17.2.5.
Start good. Won going away. Next two driving.
Winner h m by Ksmet—Jessie K. Trained by B. S. Mitchell.
Domithilda came from a long way back under a drive and won going away. Stone the contender throughout. Foot closed strongly. Rensselaer ran her race. Swagerator dogged it. Gossip quit early.

7999 SECOND RACE—Three and a half furlongs, 2 year olds. Purse, $300.

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7998	Oakland	(Blanchi & McConnell)		120					1½	1ª	J. McIntyre	1-1	0
7991	Amen	(C W Beers)		115	4			4h	3¹	2½	Glass	6-5	8-5
7978	Vanir	(C W Beers)		106	1			3h	2²	3¹	Kirschbaum	4	4
7994	Cash On Delivery	(F Prentiss)		112	6			2½	2h	4¹⁰	Gaine	4	4
7981	Josephine	(Capt F B	Hasselt)	110	6			6	6	5ª	W M Intyre	40	100
	Billy Hance	k (R Sch	Huber)	111	5			5²	5¹	6	Coburn	50	100

*Coupled with Amen.
Oakland place 1.3 show out. Amen place 1.3 show out. Vanir show out.
A post ½ minute. Off at 2.10.4. Time —24.1.5. 42.1.
Start good. Won ridden out. Second easily. Third driving.
Winner blk c by Bearchecker—Lucia Trained by O. T. Blanchi.
Oakland best and gamest looks lead at start and under hard drive just lasted. Amen closed with a great rush. Won in a romp. Vanir ran a nice race. Delivery tired chasing winner.

8000 THIRD RACE—Futurity course. selling, 3 year olds and up. Purse, $200

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7985	Jubilee	a (J	Crane)	100	1		1	1ª	1h½	1²	Kirschbaum	7-10	7-10
7962	Warfare	(F Immense	er)	1	4		6h½	2°	2²	2h	Selden	12	12
7968	Fernando	6 (R Fitz		91	7		5h	6°	5²	3½	Taplin	5-2	4
7998	Monalia	4 (J O and G	Keene)	98	5		2h	3h	3¹	4⁴	Beddie	60	100
8005	Mad Maggie	6 (Otis	Cross)	106	6		6h	5½	6⁴	5½	Garner	6	15
7960	Peda	d (F G	Walker	92	8		7	7	7	6½	Gargan	20	40
7989	No Quarter	(G Bass	ett	108	2		4h	4½	4h	7	Fischer	6	8

Sheehan paraded short. Warfare place 4 show 8.5. Fernando show 2.5.
At post 8 minutes. Off at 2.4. Time —24. 46.3.5. 1.02.2.5. 1.14.2.5.
Start poor. Won in a canter. Second easily. Third handily.
Winner ch g by Rubicon—Carlita. Trained by Dixon.
Sheehan beat gate and Won on he speed. Warfare had her beat. Fernando finished with a rush in stretch. Monalia made a nice showing. Quarter gait at end.

8001 FOURTH RACE—One mile, the Lissak Handicap. 2 year-olds and up. Purse $

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7947	Arasee	6 (E H Wright)		108	6	6h	7	4°	2h	1½	Glass	8	15
7962	Rosevale	6 (Rosevale	Stable)	100	2	2h	1½	1½	2h	Martin	4	6	
7996	Veneta Stromo	5 (R	J Macenzie)	113	8	5½	6h	2°	3h	3⁸	Taplin	8	4
7965	Spellbound	5 (M C	Archbald)	118	5	3h	3h	6°	4²	4	Archbald	8-2	9-5
7984	Big Stick	4 (Orange	Lily Stable)	90	4	4h	4h	3°	6³	5ª	Rodella	12	20
7917	Coppertown	4 (Mesmer	Con & Co)	100	7	7	5h	5½	5½	6¹⁰½	J McIntyre	5-2	7-2
7965	Hallyde	6 (Sgt	Sea Gull)	103	1	1	½	8h	7		Scovill	6	8

Arasee, Jubilee showed.
At post 1.12 minutes. Off at —.03 1-5. Time —.25.2-5. :50 —.5. 1.18. 1.44.
Start fair. Won easily. Second driving. Third easily.
Winner b g by Bannockburn—Bumble. Trained by E. F. Wright.
Scratches—Jim Gaffney. Test. Eddie Dale.
Arasee beat. Off at gate and Rosevale took lead. Spellbound was done early. Jubilee closed out game from extreme rear in game fashion and won going away at end. Rosevale took lead at start but Copper own closed resolutely. Stick had speed. Ride stopped out half.

8002 FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs, selling, 3 year olds and up. Purse, $300

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7928	Belle of Iroquois	a	C Lewis)	11	1			5°	1²	Riddle	6	5
7984	Burleigh	a (G A	Robertson)	11	4			2h	2¹	Archibald	4	5
8017	Dacia	3 (F Turamini	)	9	3			3h	3¹	Callaghan	12	12
7994	Blacksheep	6 (J Tice)		110	6			4°	4¹	Rodgers	8-5	4
7927	Billy Myer	6 (J Mc	Crane)	112	5			1°	5²	Kirschbaum	4	6
7967	Miss Picute	4 (J	Harber)	102	5	2h	2h	6°	6²	Gargan	8	10
7994	Tinchaset	6 (W Or	Friel)	112	8	8h	8h	8°	7¾	Fischer	8	12
7948	Dargin	a (B Schreiber		112	3	3	3	3	8¹	Clara	5	7
7927	Luther Stafford	5 (C	Jordan(a)	112	2	5h	7h	7³	9	Scovill	6	10

Iroquois place 3.2 show 1.5. Burleigh place 2 show 1. Dacia, show 5.2.
At post 8 minutes. Off at 8.31. Time—24.2.5. 49.4.5. 1.15.
Start good. Won clever. Second and third driving.
Winner br m by Ben Stromo—Pasadena. Trained by S. K. Moody.
Scratches—Paul Clifford. Ben Greenleaf. Native Son.
Iroquois came from rear and Burleigh had speed but hung. Dacia could not get to front in time.

8003 SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. 3 year-olds and up. Purse $350.

Index	Horse	Age and Color	Owner	Wt	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Op	Cl
7977	Likely Dieudonne	5 (Salsbury City	Stable)	1	2		1h	1°	1½	1¹	Martin	16	8
7977	Daddy Gip	4 (J C	Weitzel)	107	5		2h	2°	2¼	2¹	Glass	6-5	2
7947	Fountain Square	4 (R	I Mackenzie)	114	1		2h	3°	3½	3¹	Taplin	6-2	13-5
7959	Phil Mohr	4 (J L	Cassel)	107	6		4h	4°	4½	4²	Turner	11-5	2
7903	The Bailiff's Daughter	5 (J	Gossart)	95	8		6h	6°	5½	5²	Davies	15	20
	Clara W	3 (D Scrafford)		86	4		5h	5½	5¹	6	Selden	40	100

Likely place 12-5, show 9.10. Gip place 3.5 show out. Snare show out.
At post 1 minute. Off at 2.16.5.
Start good. Won in a hard drive.
Scratched—Jest.

SEALS' MANAGER SIGNS 2 PLAYERS OF MUCH PROMISE

Senators Long on Pitchers, but Are in Need of Lively Backstops; Curtin Confident

If the new players that Manager Danny Long will present in the Seal lineup the San Francisco leader is particularly enthusiastic about two in particular—Watt Powell outfielder, and Walter Schmidt, catcher—both youngsters with proud records from the Roanoke team of the Virginia league.

Powell who is a rangy lad of the Ty Cobb order was considered the best all around player in the Virginia league. He closed the season with a batting average of .288 led the league in three-base hits in the number of runs scored and also in stolen bases—64 in 120 games. Frank Shaughnessy a former Seal in recommending Powell to Long said that he was one of the fastest youngsters he had seen in the minor leagues for some years and improving all the time. He is a boy with the best of habits and should be a valuable addition to the San Francisco team. Powell bats and throws from the right side.

Walter Schmidt is a catcher after the style of Charles Street according to Shaughnessy although not quite as clever as the former Seal. Shaughnessy says that Schmidt is as good at receiving as Street and faster on the bases although Long declares he is from Missouri until he sees the youngster in action.

NEW CATCHER SIGNED

Another young catcher signed by Long is Walter Ryan of Alameda. Long likes his action and will give him a thorough trial.

Bill Curtin our old time friend and former San Francisco ball player with Charles Graham of the Sacramento club in the fall city Friday. Curtin converses and hard hitting year Bill still keeps his head above water and refuses to be discouraged.

Our prospects for a strong team in the capital city are the brightest, said Curtin. Danzig will be back at first base and as his batting will be much better he is anxious to show the fans of our city and the league what he really can do when he's right. We all know that he could not do himself justice last season. O'Rourke will pitch, play second and captain the team. He is a player of the Danny Murphy order, remarkably aggressive and always in the game. They tell us we will see the snappiest player ever when O'Rourke shows up.

We have several fields from which to choose for the other positions. Jerschen a shortstop from Taylor's Boston Club is said to be a good all around man. We will also have Dillon a third baseman from the New England League via Boston and Jimmy Slim.

We are anxious to get a strong catching department and would like to get a good backstop for the club. If Taylor takes Arellanes back to Boston, which we hear is said will it may be possible that we will get a good catcher from him. Let us have it. In the last spring game Mickey Doolan Longe shortstop Mitchell the former State League star and Jack Kuhn of Fresno Cochran has tried to be right get Thomas of last year's Oakland team in some kind of a deal.

Neither Bligg nor Lutz will be with the Senators this year. Van Buren Bogues and Bond who could be had are good hitters as per their past record of catchers. Watson has recommended Hartley a Los Angeles Leaguer.

Sacramento has four pitchers, including Arellanes of likely promise. Jimmy Whalen is trying to Curtin is anxious for a league of every man in camp in some kind of a deal with Coast League clubs. Some of the pitchers are Norse, Lee Arellanes, Barry Dunn, Zumbiel a local amateur, and Hess old.

Tip O'Neill who presides over the Western League at the summer time acts as advance agent for training trips in the winter will leave for Los Angeles Tuesday to select a training station for the Southern division of the Red Sox. He has an offer from Redlands and says that he will be found there within a short time. Los Angeles where a partial trial was obtained. The injuries to Sullivan last spring was time to the fact that the playing field was too small for the smooth sufficient number of players at one time and this year O'Neil says he will get a good park or none at all.

WOULD BE NEAR BAY.

O'Neill is still waiting to hear of the developments to be effected by some of what he already has awaiting places around San Francisco where the northern division of the season opens will hold forth in its preparation spell. He will select a town or city within an hours ride of San Francisco. Oakland. The only town that will be available of sufficient size and ample hotel accommodations.

Tips Hennessy for the Boston American trip is also confident and will go east on the publication tour.

The Angel City (Los Angeles) Baseball Association held its annual meeting last Wednesday. Henry Lewis was elected president and W. Mahoney treasurer. Directors were Tom Dillon, Ed Stevens, Harry Cohen. It is said that not less than $100,000 will be spent on baseball in that city this season. On the opening day the baseball fans will have a big parade. The baseball season is to open April 2 and close October 15. Manager Mitchell has signed Jimmy Slagle, Jimmy Williams, Ed Konetchy, Bill Bailey, Jack Ness, Jack Fisher, Bill Lelivelt, Bill Steen, Ed Reulbach, Jack Coffey, Bill Sweeney, Bill Leard, Bill Hinchman, Bill Rariden, Bill Hogan, Bill Bailey

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CRITICS MAKE BIG MISTAKE TRYING TO FORCE JEFF OUT

Jim Jeffries Should Be Left Alone

FORMER CHAMPION HAS NO DESIRE TO ENTER RING AGAIN

Portland Would Shut Out Sunday Baseball Altogether; Racing May Be Doomed

By EDDIE SMITH.

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For some reason positively unknown to the writer certain critics of the boxing game have taken it upon themselves to keep after Jim Jeffries, his teacup dope theory and the return match with Jack Johnson The only reason for this that I can explain is the revengeful spirit of some people who are trying to get even on the big fellow for what they feel was improper treatment at the hands of the ex champion during his training for the Reno affair

If it is this spirit of get even then they should be manly enough to come right out in the open and declare themselves. This thing of nagging at a man may be all right when a few old hens who ought to be in the old ladies home get together but with men who are claiming a right to a place in the sporting world insist on nagging a man to distraction then some attention should be paid to it

The Jeffries story is a dead one insofar as the battle at Reno is concerned and we will not dwell long on the subject, but these things we do want to say In his day Jeffries was one of, if not the greatest pugilists that ever lived During ten or twelve years of daily intimate acquaintance with him I have never heard him say one word detrimental to any one He was never found close with his money

He was a modest unassuming fellow of a disposition that forced admiration after a short acquaintance and withal he was a good fellow in its every meaning Jeffries made his mistakes and when they have come under the eye of the writer no hesitancy was taken in censuring him He made a great mistake in his training for the big battle and he surrounded himself with a lot of damphool trainers who were more eager to have their pictures taken in his company than to watch his condition He made a pitiful showing for a once great fighter and suffered a defeat that was more crushing and humiliating to his feelings than any pugilist I have ever known

On top of this Jeff was a bit grouchy as he might have been but the excuse that he was torturing himself making a weight and trying for condition exonerates him from all blame in so far as his failing in this respect should be considered

To my knowledge Jeffries has never talked of a return match with Johnson and I for one don't think he has the slightest intention of ever asking for it so why should these men continually nag at him Jeffries like every great fighter he world ever knew met his defeat and it was a crushing one and he should be left alone The big fellow is living the quiet life at Los Angeles with his family and is bothering no one he has a world of friends however who are continually bringing up the hope story and others in the hope of relieving the crushed feeling of the fallen pugilist

In this they are doing him a great wrong and it would be better to let the thing drop until such time as Jeffries can prove his theory for it only makes the people think him a hard loser The newspapers forced Jeffries into the match with Johnson and for just that reason they should now let him alone The continual knocking of the big fellow does no one any good and it does both Jeffries and the boxing game lots of harm

DONAHUE AFTER BETTORS

There is a persistent rumor on the streets that District Attorney Donahue is going after the bookmakers at Emeryville It appears that when the District attorney had certain persons before the grand jury they promised to not make any more bets wherein the card system of recording the same was used It is said that his jibbets of the law has been informed that this has not been done and that he will cause several arrests next week if the evidence can be gained that his interpretation of the law is not carried out

This news will come as a sad blow to the horsemen for they feel that there is only a few weeks or months more to go before the present legislature will pass a law that will stop all sorts of betting at the track. It is positively known that Dr. Donahue is not satisfied with the way things are run and a test case of the present system may be made at any time.

RACING SEEMS DOOMED.

By the way, before the present meeting of the legislature we had high hopes that something would be done to save the racing of the thoroughbreds by the passing of a law that would allow Paris mutuel betting and a racing commission was talked of that would have charge of the game. From the present outlook of things it would seem that these dreams will all go aglimmering for nothing has been said of the commission and the only legislation so far proposed would do away with Paris mutuel and all other forms of betting Things surely look bad for the racing game in this state.

Over in England the game is thriving however and the fact that King George V has announced that he will follow in the footsteps of his sport loving father and race a big string of horses has caused great joy among the race fanciers It is a tradition as old as the racing of horses that the King of England race a string of horses but as King George has never shown but as terest in sporting events of this character it was feared that the game would suffer a great loss in not having the patronage of the king The announcement of the present king has at this side however and has caused great joy among the lovers of the game on the other side of the pond

"REFORM" IN PORTLAND

Reform may be a great thing and we are strong for it in some things Perhaps we are a bit selfish but why reform should enter into baseball is too deep for my little brain to conceive, I received a letter from a feminine fan who is at present living in Portland but who has lived most of her life in America meaning the cities about San Francisco Bay) and he informs me that there is a strong movement on foot in that web foot city to stop baseball games on Sunday afternoons Gee, but I'm glad I dont live in Portland The young woman informs me that she gets her information from a very reliable source and if it be true then the Pacific Coast League schedule will have to be arranged to suit the long hairs if they are successful

There is already a law in Portland to forbid the playing of ball games being played on Sunday, and it is not entirely improbable that the other may go through With this sort of agitation at Los Angeles going on and the same at Portland the league is in danger It is too bad that there are so many people in this world who bother themselves about the harmless pastimes that the healthy young men indulge in and if this thing is to become prevalent all over the country we are glad there will be time to kick off Sitting at home all day talking about the neighbors does not appeal to the lovers of ocean spirit.

FITTEN A SURPRISE

The showing of Jimmy Fitten in the contest of Friday night with Antone LaGrave was a revelation to the fans on this side of the bay We have seen Fitten perform well in the ring and have come to look upon him as a rather dangerous fellow to monkey with but we hardly expected that he would stand the wear and tear of a rough battle as he did Friday night If Fitten is a wise young man he will continue right on his every day boxing for many weeks to come for he is right now at the turning point of his career and he will either go up the ladder or back down He can only expect to go up by dint of hard work for he has lots to learn yet and will have to pick up more speed His hitting is good but he needs more experience to use it well and more speed to make it possible to land more often

It is an agreed fact that his battle with LaGrave was a hummer the like of which has not been seen here for many a long day and if he keeps up the good work it will not be long before he will be in demand all over the country Jimmy you now have the chance to make good and if you are wise you will make the best of it

SOCCER GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY

There will be two games of soccer football played in the California league competition today but neither of them will have any effect on the leaders in the race At the Presidio athletic grounds the Independents and United States soldiers will meet while the Barbarians and San Franciscos are to play at Alameda.

In preparation for the cup ties the Independents are strengthening their team, and this afternoon the Disher brothers, who were among the best forwards on the coast a few seasons ago, will make their reappearance With these clever soccer men on the forward ranks the Independents will have a strong attack and as the back division of the club has been playing well all season the Indies will have to be considered in the contests for the association cup

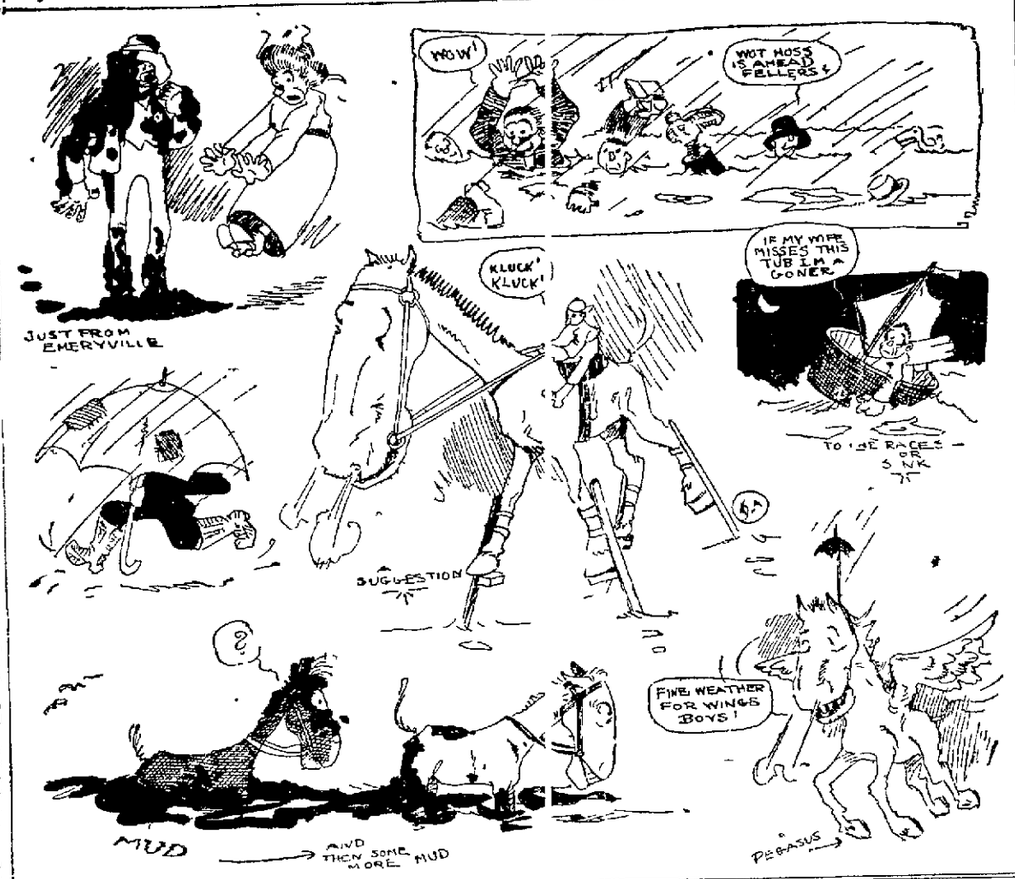
The soldiers had an off day last Sunday when they made a sorry showing against the Barbarians, but Sergeant Caldwell has impressed on the men the necessity of getting together for the cup ties, and on the grounds so close to the post and with a crowd of their comrades cheering them on the soldiers are likely to do considerably better in today's game against the Independents The game will be played, rain or shine

SIX WIN HATS BY PICKING WINNERS

The following fans were the lucky ones in the guessing contest for new hats at the show of the Oakland Wheelmen club Friday night Walter Coffee W French C Villas C E Hitchcock T Murphy and M Martin The idea proved an interesting innovation and it will be a regular thing in the Wheelmen shows

The spectators are given slips of paper whereon are the list of contests They are made up in the shape of a ballot and each person is allowed one vote If you pick the result of the six contests the Kirk Clothing Company make the lucky one a present of a new hat.

If the Rain Keeps Up, This Will Happen



St. Mary's Strong in Basketball This Year

That St Mary's College will be well represented in the basketball field this year is evident from the activity manifested at the indoor sport by the Oakland institution since the beginning of the present semester Four fast teams have been picked to represent the college in the Pacific Athletic Association tournament and regular practice was begun last week George Hammer physical director at St Mary's has the several teams in charge and is confident that he will develop at least one championship aggregation from the quartet

St Mary's will be represented in the 145-pound, 130-pound 120 and 110-pound divisions All the teams have several veterans of last years aggregations included in their lineups The 145-pound and 120-pound teams will be composed almost wholly of veterans although now playing in a heavier weight division Seven of the eight players registered for the 145 pound team are veterans the sole exception being French who has had considerable experience at the game having been a member of the Sacred Heart College five for two seasons

The 120-pound team will be composed of players who have had experience on the Victor 110-pound team of last year The Victor team had a record of thirty-eight straight victories and was nosed out in the final game of the tournament by the Columbia Park boys

The teams that will represent St Mary's are as follows

145-pound class—Burle Miller Andriano Russell Prochaska Dillon Benjamin and French

130 pound class—Nevis King McDonald, C Smith, B Smith Childs R Miller and McCarthy

120 pound class—Winship Doyle Gaul Goucolco, Driver O'Dea Carter and Weber

110-pound class—Cecil Kelly Maher Ford Ferraran Porter, Wolff and Rourke

The team that will represent St Mary's in the annual basketball contests with Santa Clara College will be recruited mainly from the 145 pound aggregation Probably the sole addition to the lineup will be Callahan who will try out for the position at center Callahan has had a good deal of experience having been a member of the St Mary's team last year and captain of the Sacred Heart College quintet two years ago

Track Captain Ed Martin of St Mary's has announced the arrangement of a dual meet with the freshman team of Stanford University for March 7th and a dual meet with San Jose high school for March 18th The meets will take place on the Stanford and San Jose tracks respectively

Martin is at present negotiating for dual meets with the University of California freshmen the Sacramento Athletic Club and Oakland and Berkeley high schools

SPORT SPOILED FOR ANGLERS BY RAIN

The anglers will have little chance to wield their rods today The heavy rains have muddied the tide waters where a catch of steelhead might be made, and although the fish are running in great numbers now that the freshet has opened up the streams it will only be a chance fish that will chase a lure these days

A few fishermen will take a chance at Point Reyes, a few more may find something to angle for in the San Mateo county tide waters, but the majority will stay at home and wait for more favorable auspices

With the steelhead season closing on January 31, the prospects are not bright for much more fishing on this species The lack of water made the fishing poor up to now and with the heavy rains of the past week the water is hardly likely to be in proper condition for fishing for several days even if no more rain falls. With only two more weeks before closing time, the anglers can hardly spare even a day or two

Dr Crane has announced his intention of fishing at Point Reyes and is hopeful of making a catch despite the conditions

The annual meeting of the Striped Bass Club was held last week and officers were elected for the present year as follows President Chris Johnson, vice-president, A Gabarino secretary James Turner treasurer, Charles H Kowell

The members will hold a banquet in a week or so at which the medals for the best year will be distributed to the successful anglers

WEBSTER GETS HIS FROM RIVERS

LOS ANGELES Jan 14—Joe Rivers a little Mexican boy the best looking Queensberry product developed by the California boxing game in years won his first main event this afternoon when he knocked out Danny Webster in the thirteenth round of their scheduled fifteen-round battle before the Pacific Athletic Club at Vernon.

Four times in the finishing round was Webster beaten to the floor The last time he sank to the canvas he had been whipped to such a state of utter helplessness that Referee Charley Eyton stepped in the unequal affair just as the Vernon police force slid through the ropes to end the fight

Eight times in all was Webster knocked down by the brown whirlwind Never from the opening bell until Webster had been carried tenderly to his corner by his seconds after the knockout did Danny have a possible chance for victory Rivers was his master in boxing slugging and ring generalship

Rivers is a wonderful youngster who knows a lot about the game, but has much more to learn before he attempts to make good the prediction of his friends that he is the coming featherweight champion.

Racing Gossip

(Cont. from Preceding Page)

ling, who is rightfully regarded as the most skillful of the present day jockeys in this country But from his frequent periods of absence from the saddle Shilling would undoubtedly head the list of winning jockeys instead of finishing in second place Garner takes two years absolutely successful the year just ended ment of his confidence in him and he has achieved phenomenal success an finds him topping the artists in America gaining in experience and with his ability and with his in his favor he is good usefulness in the saddle of C Garner who American tracks several years

V Powers who was for 1909 and will Walter Miller bears hardly twice headed yet has been weight to retire from country He may year which affords who have outgrown this country

AMERICAN RIDERS IN EUROPE

The annual meeting of the Canadian National Bureau of Breeding which was held in Montreal the other day proved interesting and in many respects an instructive one The organization which is three years old was just closing its second year Its membership has spread over a greater area than at other points and the number of stock it has placed with breeders has increased Canadian horses are not always winners on the turf abroad American jockeys seem to be able to uphold the horsemanship of the United States Not only did Danny Maher make an enviable record last year but O'Neil the jockeys in France which is no small honor

O'Neil rode for the stable of William K Vanderbilt He is a strong finisher and had more than 700 mounts Stern is famous throughout France and has also ridden brilliantly in important English and Australian races In addition he has won more than thirty races in Belgium where he represents the Ashman stable while France he rides for Monsieur C Childs was Blanc's leading jockey last years Grand Prix de the winner of this Deauville Hermitteffs Nuage Paris with Mme J Childs who rides for the Weiberg stable in Germany Mr Baratis Baron Mirabeau leading owner and won the Grand Prix in this owners colors last year Verdun On the same gentlemen Oscar, he won the Prix de Conseil Municipal His increasing weight may soon compel him to take to the jumping

W P Flynn who has a stable of eight at Emeryville has decided to sell out his string Flynn was formerly a lieutenant of police in Chicago and makes his home there Business interests prompted his retirement from the racing game. J P Jones, trainer of the stables, will continue to make the engagements

GOTCH TRIES HIS HAND AT WRESTLING

CHICAGO, Jan 14—Frank Gotch got into his togs this morning at the Chicago Athletic Association Gymnasium and wrestled four short snappy rounds with Young Hackenschmidt winning all four in a short space of time The Iowa farmer declared it was the first time he had engaged in this form of sport for eight months

The champion warmed up for an hour or more in one of the handball courts and then came out and started a little match with the Kansas City wrestler They passed most of the time on the mat trying out different grips and the one with which Gotch broke out of holds and the vise like manner in which he held his opponent showed that he had lost none of the energy that made him heavyweight champion wrestler

for Jockey Jimmy McIntyre The sale will be held next Saturday in the pad dock and will be conducted by J P Mayberry The horses to be sold are Lotta Creed Home Run Rubia Granda Starry Night Wargona Point Lace Agreement and Nettie Trainer

Early Wright owner of the stake winner Arasee and other clever ones has decided to sell the horses in training and take up a bunch of youngsters from his ranch If he can get a satisfactory figure he will dispose of Arasee and also Arome and Great Caesar

John Umsetter owner of Warfare which finished second to John H Sheehan in the third race claimed Madeline Musgrave from the Ontario Oregon stable for $125

G W Berry manager of Napa Stock Farm was sure Amon could beat Oakland and was far from being convinced that Oakland is a better colt notwithstanding the way the two youngsters finished in the second race Berry said the flying start gave Oakland the race

Early Tide, Roy Junior and the others that have been running in the name of the Spokane stable and J Robbins will run in the name of Trainer E L Jones hereafter

Jimmy McIntire was to have ridden Likel D'eudonne in the sixth but on account of his lame back Eddie Martin was substituted

The 8 to 1 looked to be a big price on Bello of Iroquois in the fifth The mare was sideways at the barrier in her previous start and had no chance

Daddy Gip will have to be put down as a mudder hereafter He won easily in the slop on Thursday and was only beaten in a hard drive yesterday in somewhat stiffer going

Phil Mohr which was never dangerous in the last race yesterday is one of the four carded to go in the Chartreuse Handicap tomorrow The Sain 4-year-old is supposed to be at his best on a deep track and it may be deep tomorrow.

M'INTOSH JOINS IN HUNT FOR A WHITE CHAMPION

Australian Promoter Would Have Bill Lang Wear Crown Now Held by Johnson

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

W W NAUGHTON

So that the quest for a white man's hope may be world wide in its scope Hugh D McIntosh of London and Australia has joined in the hunt For that matter McIntosh believes that his search ended almost as soon as it began He has picked Bill Lang conqueror of Bob Fitzsimmons Bill Squires and Jack Burns as the man to receive Jack Johnson of his laurels

In a letter just received he writes from London as follows

I have matched Sam Langford and Bill Lang and I will endeavor to match the winner against Johnson I will give it as my opinion now that Lang is the man who is destined to meet Johnson for the championship of the world, and you can place me on record that Bill Lang of Australia will be the next world's champion I feel certain of this He has improved out of all recognition He now weighs in condition 225 pounds and is perfectly strong and well and the able tuition he received from Corbett Fitzsimmons McCoy and Burns has placed him in a position today to be capable of contesting with any man living

The above was written before the contest between Burns and Lang took place so that it goes without saying that Mac's story did not come true of the bright future he has predicted for the Australian heavyweight Whether McIntosh opinion of Lang is shared to any extent the writer has no means of knowing but one thing is certain if Langford as McIntosh seems to think he will a match between Lang and Johnson would have a much more even look than it bears at present

McIntosh says that Lang weighs 200 pounds in condition This is hard to understand When Lang first loomed up in his country the experts figured him to be between 180 and 190 pounds in weight If he has increased to the tune of 35 or 40 pounds since he went to England the only thing that can be said is that the British climate has done wonders for him

PLANS FOR LONDON.

If McIntosh can induce Johnson to fight in England whether it be with Langford or Lang the affair will take place in London during Coronation Week next June McIntosh is a boxing admirer Olympia will be the scene of the championship event and with the crowds that will throng the British capital for the coronation ceremonials is a foregone conclusion that the big pavilion will be packed to its capacity Even at that the crowd will not be a big one as the crowds go for it is admitted that the seating capacity of Olympia is only 8000

Our own Jimmy Britt is popular in some ways in London and unpopular in others Jimmy's naive and unsophisticated pleasant address has made a hit with the gentlemen of sports while Jimmy's ideas as to what constitutes fit remuneration for a boxer service have gained him the reputation of a skinflint

Jimmy is associated with Jack D Mc Intosh in the fight promotion game and to him has been delegated the duties of match maker Whereas in Jimmy's days of activity in the ring he considered that a boxer was entitled to all the money he could get he now feels a pound limit is simply what is offered him It is even said that Jimmy believes that four pounds sterling or twenty dollars American money is ample remuneration for any fighting man who cannot write champion after his name

MANNER EXASPERATING

Jimmy's manner is said to be particularly exasperating to the rag tag and bobtail of the boxing guild who apply for preferment as participants in the preliminary bouts When an applicant asks for a purse that is out of all proportion, in his opinion to the ability he has displayed Jimmy minds the fellow that there are two ways to get apart from fighting and that is right to better

What is left of the former Champion is quite a problem as he declines absolutely to quit for five minutes Though he has retired he still clings to the limelight and enjoys vicariously the fighting game at its high vegetables

Besides he has interests at Walter Hess's restaurant London and McIntosh says We have seen him a nice quiet corner table on top of the building for several weeks so that his wrangling with the boys may not disturb the populace

So says the Detroit interview with the fighting Australian Jimmy is going into action for his fourth will shortly be theatrical debut the Duke Nelson and a message in a telegram the writer says days ago and it gives me great pleasure to set Nelson right with the public

WHAT HE REALLY SAID

What Nelson really did say to his Detroit interviewer was that when the match was first proposed to him he considered it a bit off himself in the limelight but that he thought that if Nelson and Langford refused us Lang Wolgast and Nelson might fight Wolgast would have to train and that might not be bad at first Nelson thought that he would draw much trouble As soon as his confidence in himself was restored on his own hanging around his friends to bet on him

The time the party in Detroit who will deny interview in quoted me in print but he misquoted me just the same That is the best evidence I have of my own money when I

RIDER BADLY HURT BY FALL

JACKSONVILLE Fla Jan 14—It develops that the injuries sustained by Jockey Davis when he was thrown onto the fence while riding Billy Muir are more serious than at first anticipated Several bones in the left foot are so badly mangled that it will be weeks possibly months before the lad will be able to ride again Davis who is a particularly strong finisher had shown great form at this meeting

It was announced today that the anti-racing element had laid plans to attack racing at Moncrief Park beginning Monday

It is said the first move will be a request for indictments against the bookmakers in the local ring The reform element claims that only those books operated by the association will be immune from prosecution under the state laws

TENNIS PLAY TO RESUME TODAY

The Nathan Dohrmann handicap singles tournament which started last Sunday on the park courts will be up for completion this afternoon provided the rain does not interfere The park courts are always in good shape and the constant rains during the past week will not stop the play provided that it remains dry during the night previous to the matches

Last Sunday some exciting sport was witnessed and the careful handicapping gave players of all classes a chance The tourney is now in the second round and the fifty two players that entered the tournament have been cut down to nearly half that number

The match between Knowlton (owe 15 1-6) and Bruns (15 3-6), which was the feature of last Sunday's play and had to be called on account of darkness, will be completed today Bruns' handicap should be defeat Knowlton today,

PUGILISTS ARE TO COMMENCE TRAINING

Active training will be started this afternoon by both Jack Burns and Jim Hogan Burns will put in his afternoons work at Al White's gymnasium in Oakland and Hogan will take up his daily training grind in San Rafael

Burns is handling some light training since the past week such as road work and pulley exercising He weighs 139 pounds at the present time and expects to be in trouble from the weight in long order This afternoon he will work with Frankie Edwards Dan Hughes Jack Burns and Boy McAllister

Hogan is down to six rounds yesterday afternoon and will work with Charles Ellis and other boys George Green who succeeded in getting Hogan in such fine trim for his bout with Frank will again supervise his work

ALL STARS WIN BASKETBALL CONTEST

In their initial game the Fruitvale All Stars basketball team journeyed out to San Leandro Friday evening Despite the wet and slippery floor the fruitvale team by the score of 17 to 2? It was a whirlwind game from start to finish fine team work and clever goal throwing being the features

R Wright and Lucius Hicks at forwards were the stars of the game D Hammond of Tremont played well at center and the playing of C Wright and Stephenson at guards was of high class Fish Gunther played well for San Leandro

will make him one of the favorites for first honors He handle himself in fine shape for a young player and will have to be reckoned with from now on.

OAKLAND SUFFRAGETTES TO HONOR MISS ANTHONY

Luncheon to Be Held on Birthday of Late Woman's Suffrage Leader; Decline to Contribute to Fund

In honor of the birthday anniversary of the late Susan B. Anthony, the members of the Oakland Equal Suffrage Amendment League at their meeting held yesterday afternoon in the library of the Young Women's Christian Association decided to hold a luncheon February 15, when leading suffragettes of the bay cities and San Francisco will take part in the affair.

The idea was suggested by Mrs. M. E. Murray, who was chairman of the meeting and who received her inspiration for the function from a letter from the National Woman's Suffrage Association, which sent an appeal to the league to contribute to the Susan B. Anthony fund. The women of the league decided that it would be impossible at the present time to assist the memorial fund, but voted to spend their extra money toward defraying the expenses of the women who are going to the legislature to fight for woman's rights.

CALENDAR SALE.

An interesting report was read regarding the sale of suffrage calendars which netted $30 to the organization. Among those who took part in the distribution of the calendars were Mrs. Leonora Gale, Mrs. I. N. Chapman, Mrs. E. J. Brown, Mrs. H. E. McMath, Mrs. Hahn, Mrs. E. A. Harris, Mrs. M. L. Norman, Mrs. M. E. Murray and Mrs. S. C. Borland.

Mrs. H. E. McMath, one of the enthusiastic workers of the league, has extended an invitation to the members of the organization to meet at her home January 27, where she will throw the parlors open to them for a card game. It will be attended by those who are interested in the suffrage movement.

Mrs. Fisk Ray, president of the club who recently returned from New York gave a short address reporting what she had observed there in suffrage circles.

"At one of the meetings which I attended in New York," said Mrs. Ray, "I was impressed with the idea of the questions, which were given each member to answer. I thought the manner of distributing the questions and having them answered at the time was a novelty and I recommend that it be introduced into our club.

SOCIAL EVIL IN EAST.

"In my travels I met Mrs. Margare Cannon, wife of Senator Cannon, and she asked me if the social evil was as great in California as it is in Utah, and I propose that the club answer her. We may be able to correct mistaken ideas pertaining to this state and it would be wise to enlighten Mrs. Cannon in this respect."

Mrs. Sarah Borland, parliamentarian and acting recording secretary of the club, will write a letter to each of the legislators who are taking part in the legislature now in session in Sacramento. Upon the recommendation of Mrs. Ray the following statements will be enclosed with the letter:

HUMAN BEINGS.

Women as well as men are human beings, and voting is one of the special rights which distinguishes human beings from brutes.

Women are not identical with men, and their special interests should be represented at the ballot box as are the interests of men.

Women are mothers of citizens and future citizens. They have the greatest possible stake in the government, and deserve the greatest possible honor and power.

Women will advance in self-respect when no longer branded with the stigma of disfranchisement. They will no longer hold themselves so cheap in marriage or out of it.

Women by the payment of direct taxes on their property and indirect taxes on what they eat and wear, contribute to governmental revenues and should, because of this financial interest, be represented in every government not a tyranny.

Women increase the nation's wealth by their industry, three-fourths of the married women doing their own housework, sewing, nursing, etc., and over 7,000,000 working outside their homes in remunerative pursuits.

GOLDEN ERA.

Women's ballots will hasten the golden era of equal pay for equal work.

Women's special cares—home and children—are not legally protected when the homemakers have no votes.

Women's ballots may bring greater attention to the sanitary needs of home, factory and street.

Women are so universally law-abiding that only 1 per cent of the criminals in state's prison are women (December, 1910).

Women strive to be better and nobler, as is shown by the great preponderance of women in the churches and in the unsalaried positions in the philanthropies.

Women with the ballot could prevent destructive wars, injurious to the state, and to their own best beloved.

Women are so generally chaste that even fraud, force, money, pretended love and the allurements of an idle, elegant life cannot tempt from virtue's path enough women to supply the demand.

ALL WELL EDUCATED.

Women are well educated, almost all women in California being able to read and write, and their intelligent vote would greatly benefit the state.

Women's ballots are feared by evil doers, who avow their dread of what women might do to their various nefarious businesses.

Women's ballots might prevent graft by public officials whose salaries women must now pay, and under whose thieving women now powerlessly suffer.

Women might help administer California affairs more economically, honestly and progressively than have the present voters. Many men admit that California men and women together could do much better for themselves, the state and posterity than could either sex alone.

Women who are slave mothers bring forth slave children. An enfranchised motherhood will bring forth a race which has never been equaled for nobility, heroism and true greatness.

OTHERS GET VOTE.

Women in California are as intelligent, virtuous and public-spirited as are the women of Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, Finland, Norway, Isle of Man, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Idaho and Washington, where women vote for all officers elected by the people.

Women in California deserve the ballot as much as do the women of Kansas, England, Iceland, Scotland, Wales, Canada, Sweden, Denmark and Natal, South Africa, where women enjoy municipal suffrage.

Mrs. Ray stated yesterday that she believed the suffrage cause will be given support by the legislature and that she is optimistic regarding the outcome of the movement in this state.

BRAND HER UNFAIR.

The opinion expressed by Louise Homer, the celebrated singer, which was expressed in a recent number of one of the magazines upon the subject, "Do you as a woman, want to vote?" was deemed unfair by the members of the league.

Mrs. Ray laughed over the telephone this morning when the expression of Louise Homer was read. It was as follows:

"Those who call themselves suffragettes are making such a noise that I fear there is danger that the public may forget that opposed to these few is the great majority of womankind, proud of being women and who glory in doing well those things which an all-wise Creator assigned as woman's part in life."

Among the prominent women who gave adverse answers were Marion Harland, Margaret Deland, Kate Douglas Wiggin, Agnes Irwin, Ida M. Tarbell and Anna Roosevelt-Cowles.

FRIENDS MOURN WOMAN'S PASSING

Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Meehan Brings Sorrow to Many.

The passing of Mrs. Elizabeth Meehan at the residence of her son, Jesse P. Meehan in East Oakland, Thursday evening, marked the ending of a long and useful life.

Born in Vermont in the year 1822, of old New England stock, she spent the greater portion of her life in her native state and in New Hampshire, coming to California in 1884. Mrs. Meehan was married in Charleston, N. H., on the 12th of January, 1843, and her death occurred on the sixty-ninth anniversary of her wedding day.

Her's was one of those rare natures of which self-sacrifice, sympathy and a consideration for others form the greater part.

Always regardless of self, she sought some means of giving happiness to others; of lessening or making lighter another's burdens, and of bringing into the lives of others the sunshine which her whole being radiated.

Because of these many endearing qualities she was loved by all who knew her.

Her many good deeds, her many acts of thoughtfulness and kindness and her many words of sympathy and comfort have born fruit and will continue to do so, although she who was the example and the inspiration has gone to rest.

Besides a host of sorrowing friends she leaves two sons and two daughters to grieve over their loss: Jesse P. Meehan, Marcellus Q. Meehan, Elizabeth Meehan and Mrs. M. A. Brofley of Chicago.

Case Against Aged Capitalist Dismissed

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The case against Robert Bragg, 80 years old, a capitalist, charged by his son-in-law William Martinstein, with entering his home, 215 Castro street and pointing a revolver at members of the household, was dismissed in police court today.

Martinstein said that on account of the age of the defendant the family did not wish to prosecute.

The arrest followed a dispute in which Bragg said a safe containing valuable papers belonging to him, left in the Martinstein home, had been thrown into the street.

Chico Postmaster Fight Still Continues

CHICO, Jan. 14.—Postmaster John Magee and his friends refuse to admit that Harry S. Moir has won out in the postmastership fight. They still say Magee will land the plum, and assert that they will not give up the battle until the appointment is actually signed by the president. As a reason for their belief that Moir will not land, they point to the fact that the recommendation for the appointment of Moir was made over a month ago, and say if he was to get the place it would have been handed him before this. The president has been told it is said, and Moir only recently turned Republican: Moir says he always has voted the Republican ticket.

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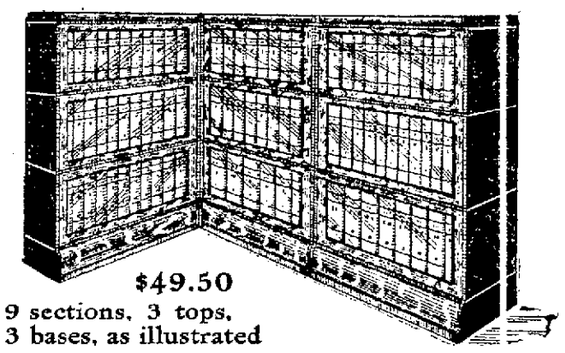

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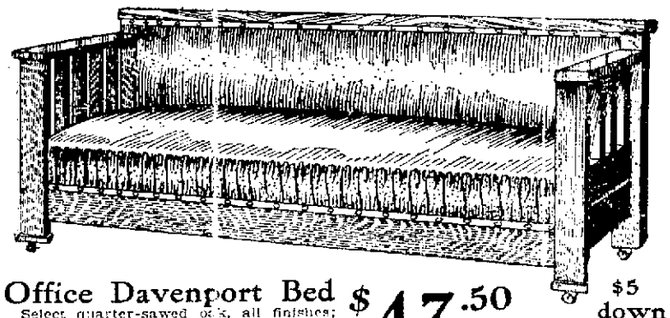

Office Davenport Bed $47.50 $5 down $5 month

Select quarter-sawed oak, all finishes; it's the famous Pullman Davenport Bed; upholstered in Boston leather; wears as well as the real.

Office carpet
10-wire Brussels

The heaviest of all Tapestry Brussels; fine patterns for the office or home. Wears well and is easily swept.

Sewed, lined and laid

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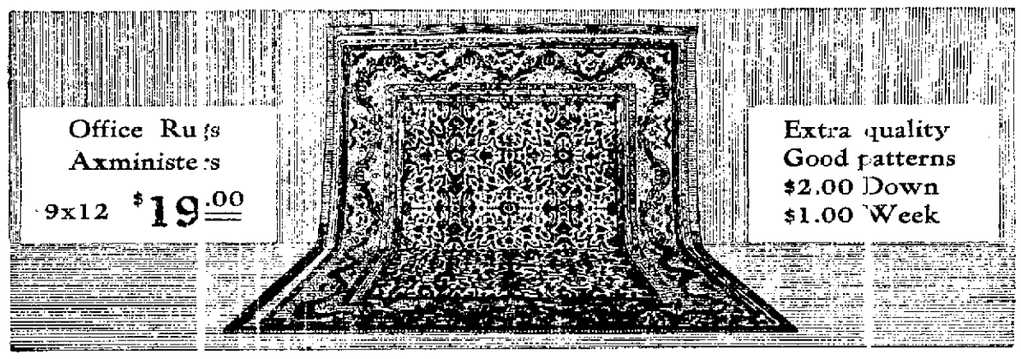

Office Rugs Axminsters
9x12 $19.00

Extra quality
Good patterns
$2.00 Down
$1.00 Week

Office carpet
Axminster

The soft, velvety kind, with the long pile. No floor covering wears any better; good patterns and colors.

Sewed, lined and laid

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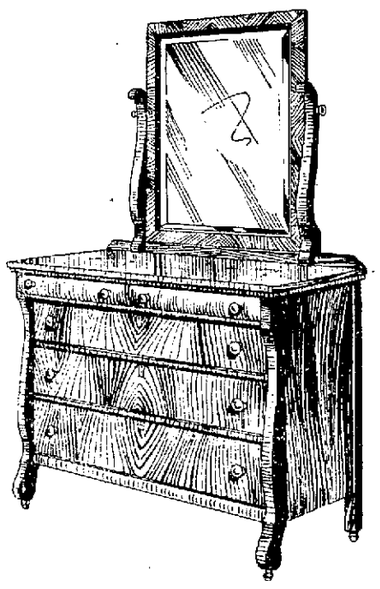
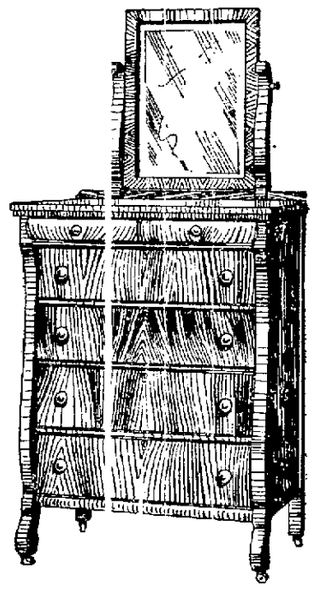
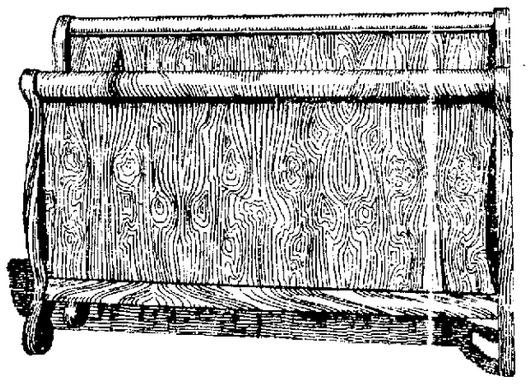




Circassian walnut, three pieces $100

As illustrated—bed, dresser and chiffonier

Terms $10 cash $10 month



This Circassian Walnut Bedroom Suit represents one of the best values we have been able to offer in Bedroom Furniture. It's a beautiful grained Circassian Walnut; extra large Dresser and Chiffonier; a beautiful design, perfectly plain, yet not severe; large bevel plate mirrors; top drawers beveled, lower drawers plain. Bed is a beauty, full size and matchless [illegible] Chiffonier.

Exactly as illustrated

Jackson's 3-room outfit for $65.00

Includes a handsome decorated dinner set of forty-eight pieces (just enough for a small family); also a twenty-yard roll of good Japan matting (choice of patterns). Our regular terms—$6.50 down; $6.50 per month

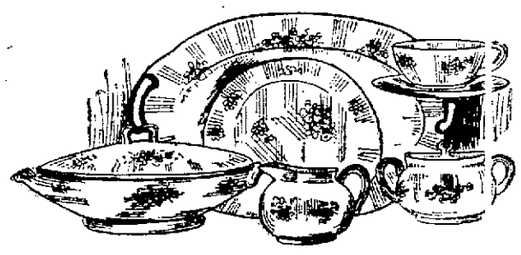
Kitchen has a Gas Range with oven and Broiler, Kitchen Chair and Kitchen Table with flour bins, kneading boards, drawers, etc., and the 48-piece Dinner Set.

Dining room has pedestal Dining Table with round top, six-foot extension, golden finish; four Chairs to match, and the 20-yard roll of Matting.

Bedroom has pretty Iron Bed, strong Spring and soft Mattress, a comfortable Rocker and a good style Dresser; golden finish; neat style mirror.

Jackson's special China dinner set $15

On very easy terms—$1.50 cash; $1.00 week



This is an exceptional value; a new pattern just received; 50 pieces, pretty shapes, two styles; a clear white American china and gilt and a clear white china with a spray. This week special $15.00, and the easy terms.

Good for one-fourth off any one article (specials excepted) Monday, January 16th. One to a customer—Terms Cash—Bring Coupon.

JACKSON'S Monday 1/4 Off Special COUPON

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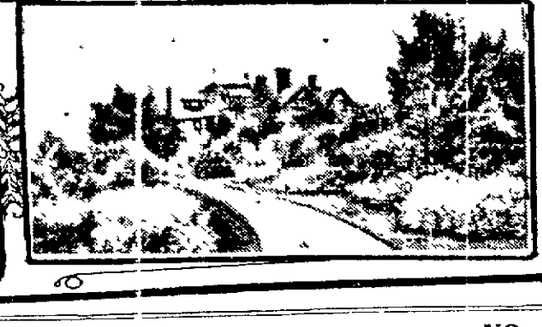

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Oakland's Progress Advanced by the Elements and a Big Realty Deal

PASSING OF OAKLAND'S CHURCHES FROM CENTRAL RETAIL BUSINESS DISTRICT

Commercial Expansion Induces First Presbyterian Church Trustees to Sell Its Fourteenth Street Property

The passing of the churches located in the heart of the central retail district of Oakland has been regarded for several years past as one of those events liable to occur any day as an inevitable result of business expansion. Three church edifices have for the past five years constricted the development of the business district. These are the First Congregational church occupying the whole of the western frontage of Clay street from Twelfth to Thirteenth, the First Methodist Episcopal church at the southeast corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets and the First Presbyterian church at the northeast corner of Fourteenth and Franklin streets. Each one has acted as a positive barrier to business expansion in its direction. Until the past week all efforts to induce the sale of these church properties by their respective congregations and relieve the tremendous congestion in the central part of the city by devoting the church sites to business improvements was in vain.

Barrier to Business Expansion Removed

This week the barrier to business expansion eastward on Fourteenth street has been broken by the sale of the First Presbyterian church to an Oakland syndicate of capitalists including among others, J. F. Carlston, president of the Central National bank and Robert M. Fitzgerald, the well known attorney. All of the members of the syndicate have large property interests in the neighboring district east of Broadway whose natural development was effectively retarded by the presence of the church building which controlled 150 feet or one half of the frontage in the block between Franklin and Webster streets on the north side of Fourteenth street and 203 feet on the east side of Franklin street. The pressure exerted by the desire of business to expand eastward beyond Franklin street could not burst the barrier created by the presence of the church building. Franklin street was through its influence converted into a dead line to progress eastward on Fourteenth street although located only one block from some of the most costly and imposing structures in the city standing at the intersection of Broadway, Fourteenth street and San Pablo avenue. Now that the structure has been removed through the sale of the property to the syndicate of business men an outlet has been opened for substantial business expansion to follow.

Most Important Realty Sale in Years

The sale of the property is the most important that has taken place in Oakland in many years. The church congregation has no cause to complain for its share in the deal. It gets a handsome price for the property approximately $300,000 which sum will enable its trustees to buy a large tract of land in a locality much more convenient to its members who have been elbowed out of the neighborhood of the church by the rapid expansion of business and been driven into the outlying residential districts recently created to establish their homes and also to erect a modern place of worship of larger capacity and more enduring material than the structure they have disposed of.

Harmonious Development Now Possible

From a secular viewpoint the deal makes possible a [illegible] and natural extension of the business district eastward and unite with the business development which is sure to follow the completion of the Oakland hotel and surrounding that locality. So long as the First Presbyterian church property remained intact it was inevitable that a disjointed condition would grow up in the business district, isolated in a very general sense from the central part of the city. Such a disjointure would have been deplorable disadvantageous to both sections and an impediment to property values. Now the way has been opened for a natural business development on the foregoing lines which cannot fail to change the whole aspect of the territory lying east of Broadway and give strength and stability to the values of property in that quarter.

The passing of the First Methodist Episcopal and the First Congregational churches is sooner or later to follow. Indeed [illegible] to which

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PROPERTY OF J.F. DOHERTY 316 PERKINS ST.

OAKLAND REALTY WINTER MARKET

Notable Absence of the Usual After-Holiday Reactionary Period.

The Livermore Real Estate company reports the realty market responding to the better feeling evinced in all lines of business.

S. H. Mastes, manager of the city sales department of this firm said: "The winter market in Oakland realty is opening up most encouragingly. Buying is freer. This reaction is expected at this time of the year, a general experience that the notable built this year. This movement is occasioned largely by those waiting for the semi-annual bank dividends just past and outside money seeking investment in Oakland real estate. Our office has closed five investments ranging in price from $1,000 to $5,000. An attitude of outside buyers interested in Oakland is shown when three different prospective purchasers journeyed from interior points arriving on the same day to see the same piece of property we had advertised.

"The demand for lease locations are showing a tendency to stiffen owners' ideas of values. Two offers made for such holdings at the prices quoted by the owners two months ago were refused. Whether this revived business outlook can only be determined by developments in the near future.

"Our rental department has been receiving [illegible]. The influx of strangers to our city is notable and the lack of apartments, modern flats and cottages within walking distance to business center that is within a few blocks of this precinct presents a splendid opportunity for operations along this [illegible]."

Former Lodi Settler Is Dead at San Diego

LODI, Jan. 14.—News has been received here of the death at San Diego Tuesday afternoon of Edward Hays, a pioneer resident of Lodi. Mr. Hays purchased a tract of land on Cherokee Lane about two miles south of Lodi over the past five years and recently sold it and moved to San Diego on account of failing health.

Mr. Hays was born in Bedford, Iowa, and leaves but one relative, a daughter by his first wife. His second wife died last spring and was buried in Lodi cemetery.

NEW COMERS TO COLLEGE TOWN

Flocking in From the Eastern Cities and From Abroad; Making Homes.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—The allurements of Berkeley as a home city is shown in the fact that since the first of the year newcomers in search of property for rent or for sale have arrived here from England, South Africa, Canada and from all parts of the United States.

Most of these new citizens are renters of residence property but several boughts homes. A dozen of the new arrivals came direct to Berkeley without making inquiries in other cities. They state that the climate proved to be one of the principal attractions.

FLOCKING FROM ALL QUARTERS

One real estate firm reports having rented or sold to five inquiries in one day, the clients being from Pittsburg, New Orleans and other cities in this country, while one of the quartet was from England.

Berkeley is not in the class of cities which depend largely upon returning farmers for their new population, as many of the interior cities do, but the colleges draw inhabitant from all parts of the world.

The educational advantages play a large part in the development of the city and its swelling census figures. The reopening of the public schools last Monday and the resumption of university work for the spring semester next week have caused a large influx of families as well as students, residing in the city to business center that is within a to bring about.

It was feared that storm water would damage the new streets in Berkeley Heights, Berkeley South, Northbrae and other hill tracts in North Berkeley, but it was found upon inspection that the frequency of catch basins along the gutters had caused the floods to be carried away promptly and without havoc.

S. P. ELECTRIC RAILWAY

It now appears that the Southern Pacific's electric lines will not be in operation in Berkeley before the end of next summer and perhaps not until the end of the year. However, work is being rushed on the various sections of the loop system. A gang has been employed on the roadbed on Chilton street, which is to connect with the California street line and a cut is being made at Rose street. Work is also progressing on the line on Solano avenue to connect the main line through the center of Berkeley with the Ninth street line in the west end. On Ninth street the tracks have been laid between Ashby street on the south to Albany on the north.

BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permits have been issued:

1-story 5-room cottage, Russell and Matthews streets, for J. J. Foltz, $1800.

2-story 7-room dwelling, Russell street and Benvenue avenue, for G. H. S. Harding, $ 00.

1-story 6-room residence, Ashby avenue and Wheeler street, for R. Blacklet, $1900.

2-story 5-room dwelling, Spruce and Euclid streets, for J. J. Kahill, $ 00.

1-story 6-room dwelling, Columbia and Monterey streets, A. R. Udall, $2500.

1-story 4-room dwelling, Garber and Piedmont, Sanklero Drimal, $250.

1-story drafting room, Hearst avenue near McGee, Mrs. L. A. Rice, $250.

Additions to residence, 2620 Durant avenue, Professor John Pryer, $1000.

2-story 16-room and 4-store building, Claremont near Wolsey, J. G. Mason, $8500.

REALTY LOOMING UP IN ALAMEDA

Signs of Prosperity Visible in Increasing Demands for Unimproved Property.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—While January is only half a month old sixteen building permits have already been issued or the same number that was issued during the whole month of December. January is generally considered the poorest month in the year for building purposes, but January 1911 is proving an exception.

One feature of the building permits issued during the past two months is the number of bungalows being erected in all parts of the city. The location near the parks and playgrounds are the most sought after, and while the outlay for these purposes seemed large at first the real estate market at least is feeling the demand for houses and unimproved property adjacent to the playgrounds.

SIGN OF PROSPERITY

The real estate men regard the demand for unimproved property as one of the best signs of coming prosperity for it is a noticeable fact that while the demands for rental property are falling off, the search for unimproved property is in the increase from week to week.

Another noteworthy feature in the local realty market is the great number of lots being purchased by people who intend to build homes and it is as a city of homes that Alameda is best known.

Contractors who keep close in touch with building operations say that the coming spring will show the greatest number of homes erected in the city in its history and from the number of sales made in the past few months this statement seems well founded.

This condition has been brought about by the reasonable price of property in this city for while in many other coast cities the value of improved and unimproved property has been materially increased by the demand in Alameda the majority of

TIMELY RAINSTORM ADDS MILLONS TO OAKLAND'S REAL ESTATE VALUES

Prolonged December Drought Threatened to Produce a Crisis and Depress Many Important Interests

Weather conditions and the real estate market are closely linked in Oakland. In fact they are closely related in all California cities that are growing in population and progressive. Building in any city is dependent largely upon an easy money market, freedom of the part of the banks to loan and the banks to be as sensitive to the latest and tightest up whenever any unfavorable condition presents itself. The last half of December threatened to play havoc with realty trading in Oakland, which had been during the months of September, October and November so seriously active, particularly in the foothill subdivisions. The effect of the continuance of the drought into January was predicted by a remark heard in the early part of this month by a prominent official in one of the strongest banks in Oakland and in one of the strongest financial institutions that if it did not rain soon loaning money on real estate would have to stop and as a prudential measure, many of the banks now be used in realty trading would have to be called in.

Drought Crisis Safely Passed.

The generous rainstorm of the week has changed this gloomy outlook. The crisis is safely passed. The future supply promises to every interest. Crops are assured to farmers throughout the county and the prosperity of the farmer means business for the merchant, confidence in every allied industry, surplus money for investment in realty into which the bulk of the surplus earnings of a prosperous year is usually placed and continued easy money market. The timely setting in of the rainy season assures the increased prosperity of Oakland and the realty market responding promptly to their influence.

Timely Rain Helps Realty Trading.

As an illustration Fred B. Reed, the manager of the Peralta Real Estate company's interests, within the past two weeks of thirteen and [illegible] lots in the foothill tracts where costly road improvements have been and are being made, all are being erected and plenty more sales in sight. The records of the County Recorder show in the number of transfers recorded considerable activity in other foothill subdivisions.

Value of the Rainstorm to Oakland.

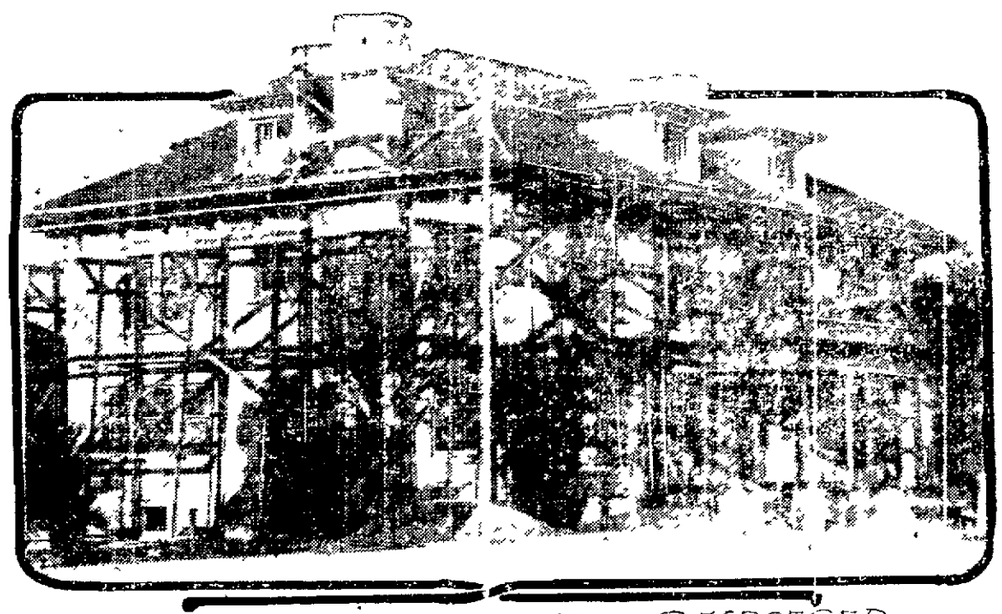
This rainstorm is good for at least $ 000,000 of [illegible] investment in Oakland. It will right away sell a million dollars worth of real estate. A dealer in real estate listened to the musical patter of the falling rain. And it is safe to say that, if no untoward conditions follow through the rest of the rainy season, his estimate is well within the mark. No city in the state will profit as much as Oakland, especially none more from the results of the harvest season which the timely and abundant rains of the past month promise for good crops will add immeasurably to the influence of the city's improvements in progress or stimulate property [illegible].

realty dealers can note desirable increase the population and the [illegible] sales in the next seven months [illegible] excellent transportation facilities that Alameda will soon have both to Oakland and to San Francisco. To Oakland is twenty minutes from the extreme eastern end of the city and to San Francisco thirty-five minutes are arguments that present itself strongly to the homeseeker who wishes to live in a well governed city where taxes are low and still be in close touch with the business centers.

Mayor McCarthy's Auto Stopped by Policeman

SAN FRANCISCO, [illegible]

RESIDENCE OF E.W. HOGAN, #3/4 PERKINS ST.



RESIDENCE BEING BUILT FOR C. KROEGER, VERNON AND PERRY STS.

Oakland Keeps On Growing in Population and Expanding Its Business and Residence Quarters

OAKLAND'S BUILDING RECORD

List of the Applications Filed With Board of Public Works for Permits

Following is a summary of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works for the week ending January 11:

	No. of Permits.	Amounts.
1-story dwellings	14	$19,850.00
1½-story dwellings	2	4,950.00
2-story dwellings	3	12,795.00
2-story flats	1	5,298.00
1-story brick store	1	2,250.00
1-story school	1	890.00
Garages, workshops and tank frames	7	1,624.00
Alterations, additions and repairs	27	27,465.00
Total	56	$74,522.00

REPORT BY WARDS.

First ward	18	$19,917.00
Second ward	3	890.00
Third ward	2	975.00
Fourth ward	1	335.00
Fifth ward	14	28,705.00
Sixth ward	6	475.00
Seventh ward	18	24,125.00
Total	50	$74,522.00

BUILDING PERMITS.

Following is a detailed statement of the building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works during the week ending Wednesday:

E. F. Pegg, tank frame, 444 Fifty-first street; $110.

P. S. Linquist, 1-story garage, 4113 Gilbert street; $100.

Capt. P. H. Peterson, 2-story 11-room flats, northwest corner Forty-first and Webster streets; $5,298.

C. B. Wells, 1½-story garage, Ocean View avenue and West View drive; $500.

Barney's Loan Office alterations, 918 Broadway; $300.

A. Furtado, 1-story 4-room bungalow, west side Fifty-first avenue, 200 feet south of East Fourteenth street, Melrose, $1000.

J. H. Durge, alterations, south side Eighth street between Broadway and Washington; $100.

A. J. White, reshingling, 823 Kirkham; $100.

A. Allegri, 1-story 3-room cottage, west side Boyd avenue, 200 feet south of Clavour street; $750.

M. Travesso, alterations, 927 Thirty-fourth street; $200.

B. H. Welch, 2-story 7-room dwelling, south side East Eighteenth street, 200 feet west of Eleventh avenue; $3998.

Ehrenpfort & Davis, 1-story 5-room dwelling, east side Rosedale avenue, 100 feet north of Carrington street, Melrose; $1500.

R. W. Kinney, 1-story brick store, north side Eleventh avenue, 45 feet east of Harrison street; $2250.

E. E. Gill, 1-story green house, southwest corner Twenty-first and Telegraph avenue; $175.

C. Hudson, alterations, 403 Eighth street; $260.

Oakland Baseball Association, addition to grand stand, 5951 San Pablo avenue; $500.

Hansen & Kohler, alterations, 888 Webster street; $100.

City of Oakland, 1-story school, northwest corner Perry an Van Buren streets; $390.

L. Sheeline, alterations, 404 Fourteenth street; $50.

A. Axberg, 2-room addition, west side Fiftieth avenue, 800 feet south of Vicksburg street, Melrose; $800.

P. Deangeli, 1-story 4-room cottage, 702 Bryant street; $450.

A. B. Bowman, addition, 1815 Sunset avenue, Fruitvale; $450.

Brown & Potter, 1-story 5-room cottage southwest corner East Sixteenth street and Thirty-sixth avenue; Melrose; $1600.

G. Shrider, 2-story 6-room dwelling, west side Lake Shore avenue, 150 feet north of Bond; $2800.

P. Kisick, alterations, 414 Thirteenth street, $18,000.

J. A. Bishop, 2-story addition, 75 Kempton avenue; $450.

E. B. & A. L. Stone Co., alterations, Berry street between Pearmin and S. P. tracks, Elmhurst; $475.

M. Pedro, 1-story 3-room cottage, south side East Twenty-sixth street, 200 feet east of Nineteenth avenue $500.

M. C. Chapman, 1-story garage, 57 Santa Clara avenue; $150.

Mrs. Wood, repairs, 3955 Grove street; $90.

C. Laursen, 1-story 5-room dwelling, south side Lawton avenue, 130 feet east of College; $1900.

W. F. Neary, 1-story 5-room dwelling, northwest corner Forty-third street, 310 feet east of West street; $2000.

E. A. Euchler, 1-story 6-room dwelling, south side Lawton avenue, 362 feet west of Broadway; $2600.

J. M. Brilhant, addition, 1566 Fifth street; $175.

SALE OF CHURCH ADDS TO VALUES

The Ratification Causes Frontage Values On Fourteenth and Franklin to Jump.

The sale of the First Presbyterian church property has already had the effect of enhancing values in the neighborhood. Secretary Horn of the Presbyterian church reported yesterday morning that the owners of adjoining property on Franklin and Fourteenth streets had advanced their prices since the meeting of Friday night, at which the church officers ratified the sale, from $200 to $800 per front foot. The sale is one of the most important real estate deals consummated in Oakland in years, and it is all the more notable that it was accomplished by one of the youngest men in the realty business, namely, George M. Flint, and that single-handed. It was a big fish to handle and would have been a credit to the most expert veteran in the profession to land. In selling the property for $300,000 cash the officers of the church were conscious of the fact that a larger sum could be obtained for the property by holding on to it a few months; but they frowned down on the proposition of putting the church in the position of engaging in a real estate speculation. They also recognized the fact that retention of the property was a continual hindrance to the city's growth and the expansion of its business quarter. Moreover, they were unanimous of the opinion that the downtown business quarter is no place for a church building and the sooner they got out the better.

HANDSOME HOME IN LAKE DISTRICT

New Residence for A. K. Percival and A. J. Snyder on Dana and Woolsey Sts.

A handsome residence is being built on the southwest corner of Dana and Woolsey streets for A. K. Percival and A. J. Snyder from designs drawn by Architect T. D. Newsom. It is to be finished in its whole interior appointments up-to-date in every respect, with selected slash grain pine, tile bath room and parquet flooring in the whole of the first floor. The exterior will be finished with cement plaster walls. The new building will cost approximately $4500.

Chin Fook, alterations, 867 Eleventh street; $50.

Piedmont Heights Building Co., 2-story 9-room dwelling, south side Calmar avenue 300 feet west of Carlston; $6000.

A. Fitzhenry, repairs, 1220 Adeline street; $235.

Hansen & Kahler, floor repairs, southeast corner Elgth and Webster street; $90.

C. Burman, alterations, 171 East Fifteenth street; $825.

E. Lehnhardt, cement floor, 1157 Broadway; $35.

M. C. Montgomery et al., alter cottage to flats, south side Forty-third street, 150 feet north of Telegraph avenue; $2000.

E. L. Shelby, 1½-story 7-room dwelling, northeast corner Hudson and Lawton avenues; $1950.

J. Fibush, alterations, northwest corner Twentieth and Telegraph avenue; $200.

I. L. Grainger, 1-story 4-room cottage, south side Sixty-third street, 100 feet east of Colby street; $1400.

L. Boystrom, 1-story 6-room cottage, west side Seventh avenue, 70 feet north of East Ninth street; $1550.

F. Valenzons, tank frame, 184 Ayala street; $300.

Mrs. A. Pershbaker, 1-story garage, south side Virginia avenue, 600 feet east of California Railway, Melrose; $150.

Mrs. E. A. Cumber, alterations, 3130 Hopkins street; $1000.

E. L. Furlong, 1½-story 7-room dwelling, north side Glendora avenue, 229 feet west of El Centro; $2000.

T. Muller, 1-story 6-room cottage, north side Wentworth avenue, 160 feet east of Bellevue, Melrose; $2000.

J. Don, alterations, 664 Harrison street; $50.

H. Tullock, 1-story 6-room cottage, north side East Nineteenth street, 80 feet east of Twenty-third avenue; $1500.

F. Struggibinetti, 1-story 4-room dwelling, west side Ninetieth avenue, 350 feet north of East Fourteenth street, Elmhurst; $1200.

H. F. Weiden, alterations and additions, 8320 School street, Fruitvale; $1000.

Ah Wong, alterations, 665½ Harrison street; $50.

J. Cahill, alterations, 438 Twelfth street; $90.

RESIDENCE OF A.B.DUNN #337 PERKINS ST.

PASSING OF OAKLAND'S CHURCHES FROM CENTRAL BUSINESS DISTRICT

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these properties are now devoted cannot remain long. They have for several years past been inconveniently situated for the majority of their respective congregations, for they are no longer surrounded by the homes of their members. Within the last four years scores of these domiciles have disappeared to make way for the irresistible demands of business growth and the present homes of the former owners and tenants of these domiciles are located remotely from the churches. Churches, like business, follow the shifting of the habitations of the people. This is in obedience to an immovable, unchangeable law.

Commercialism vs. Sentiment

The First Methodist Episcopal church has been in the market for over two years. It could have been sold a year ago if the trustees had not suddenly raised the price when a buyer was actually in sight and a substantial deposit on hand to clinch the deal. Sentiment, has of course, much to do with the retention of church property; but in the case of the two churches on Clay street, sentiment is more or less tinctured with commercialism, for the growth in values of both properties in late years has been an unearned increment inherited through the costly improvements which others engaged in strictly secular pursuits have developed in their vicinity. When commercialism overshadows the sentiment centered in these two properties, we may expect to see them sold, and the time is fast approaching when that condition will prevail. The commercial idea must finally triumph in both cases.

FRANKLIN STREET IMPROVEMENTS

Preparing for the Erection of Lewis Bros.' Business Block.

The wrecking of the old shacks that have held the land on the southwest corner of Franklin and Ninth streets to clear the site for the new brick building to be erected there by the Lewis brothers, has been in progress for the past two weeks. Architects Reed & Meyer are hard at work preparing the plans for the new building, the construction of which will be started as soon as the land is cleared and the excavation of the basement pit accomplished. The erection of this building will mark a new era of building improvement on Franklin street, which is destined to become one of the principal wholesale business thoroughfares in Oakland. The day of the shack, which have hitherto burdened it and held it back, is passing. They will disappear rapidly from now on.

NEW INVESTORS IN ROCK RIDGE

Costly Homes Being Built in and Around This Charming Hill Tract.

The new year started most auspiciously for Rock Ridge. Scarcely no one who knows the property will be surprised at any developments that may bring about in this Broadway hill subdivision.

In addition to the many fine homes under way a number of others are to be built at once. The most important transaction affecting the property is the sale of seven lots to Cederborg & Anderson, well-known contractors. This firm had already built one residence in Rock Ridge and because they found the situation so desirable for the kind of homes they wanted to build they decided to invest more extensively in lots and build other homes.

The lots purchased by Cederborg & Anderson are on Broadway and Warren streets. Homes costing $5000 will be built on them and as this corner of the property is prominent because of its being near the entrance the whole of Rock Ridge will be benefited by the erection of these homes. This portion of Rock Ridge is only one block from the College avenue car line and directly on the main artery of the city, so there is no doubt that the beautiful residences to be built will be quickly sold.

Another recent purchaser in Rock Ridge is Dr. J. A. Kergan. He has bought a large site opposite the one upon which C. B. Wells is building a $40,000 home. Dr. Kergan will erect a residence costing $12,000 in the near future. Dr. R. C. Anderson, a well-known dentist, whose present home is in Berkeley, has also bought in Rock Ridge with the intention of building here.

Work is progressing on the Wells mansion which crowns a beautiful eminence in the park. The style of architecture is gothic and the red brick structure with its iron balconies and trimmings will be most effective against the eucalyptus and cedar trees which are on the grounds.

The good weather of December and the first week this month facilitated the work being done by the city on Broadway at Rock Ridge. Within two months the splendid pavement will be laid and then the thoroughfare from the city will be an excellent one leading direct from the business center to the choicest home district.

Improvement Club Wants Innovations

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—The South of Army Street Improvement Association has decided to ask the supervisors to provide for the extension of the auxiliary high pressure water system along Mission street from Twenty-ninth street to Crescent avenue. F. Cimo, F. Weiss, L. Boudelli, H. A. McCall and M. I. Torres were delegated to urge the matter.

The organization also voted to appeal to Senator Bryant and Assemblyman Ryan to urge the re-enactment of the McEnerny title law and also to endeavor to secure the passage of a land title bill to expedite the perfecting of titles in this state.

An opening meeting will be held on Thursday evening, January 26, at Columbus Hall, Twenty-ninth and Mission streets, to discuss home industry and the proposed land title bill.

WESTERN WATER FRONT CONTRACTS

Dredging the Key Route Basin Provided for; Big Company to Co-operate.

By the awarding of the contract for the dredging of the Key Route basin to the frontage of the municipal wharf lines, another important step has been taken for the improvement of the western water front. During the coming week the United Properties Company will meet and organize by the election of officers and authorize immediate operations for the improvement of its commercial water front on the north side of the Key Route basin and the reclamation of the low tide lands on the eastern side of the municipality's inshore bulkhead.

The western shore line is destined for years to come to be the scene of great industrial activity in the preparation of that part of Oakland's water front for commercial use when the Panama canal is completed and open for business.

The Oakland and Antioch Electric Railway is already a candidate for admission to the municipal wharves, having organized a subsidiary company for that purpose and for which an application for the necessary franchise will soon be filed with the City Council.

GRADING MANDANA BOULEVARD

Its Extension to Crocker Tract; a Short Cut to Piedmont; Recent Property Sales.

The first actual result in the Oakland realty market of the formation of the $200,000,000 United Properties Company was registered last week in the sale of ten lots in the East Piedmont Heights Extension tract of the Wickham Havens Company. These lots were sold last Sunday in spite of the attraction of the aviation meet in San Francisco, and were taken by purchasers who learned through the newspapers that the Key Route would be extended to San Jose by the new corporation, and that the right of way leads through the East Piedmont Heights extension.

The new tract, which was placed on the market in October, has already established a record as the fastest growing residence district in Oakland. This record was made on the strength of the accessibility of the property and its ideal situation for home-making.

The Wickham Havens Company is not satisfied with the enhancement of values through the plans of the transportation companies, but has men and teams at work steadily extending the Mandana boulevard to the Crocker tract of Piedmont. This will give the finest drive in Oakland and the shortest route between this city and Piedmont. The extension of the boulevard is no simple problem as thousands of cubic yards of earth are being graded from the surrounding hills to fill a gorge to the level desired.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Transfers, Mortgages and Releases Gleaned From the County Records.

Following are selection of transfers, mortgages and releases filed during the week ending Thursday in the office of the County Recorder

TRANSFERS.

Mrs. George Roeth to Teresa Everding and others, irregular lot on the east side of Clay street, 199 feet north of Sixteenth street, east 14.9 feet, northeast 19 8½ feet, north 33 feet, west 10 feet, south 31 feet; also lot on the west side of Willow street, 150 feet north of Santa Clara avenue, Alameda, 67.8x100; consideration nominal.

Leland S. Sullivan and M. F. Kidd to the Bradbury Estate Investment Company, lot 45x120 on the west side of Market street, 135 feet southeast of the intersection of the northeast line of Fifty-third street; consideration nominal.

J. C. and Mary McMullen have transferred to the J. C. McMullen Estate Co. sundry properties in Clinton, in the Blalsdale tract, in Fruitvale, and in the Case tract in Berkeley, for a nominal consideration.

Security Savings Bank and Trust Company to Mary Belrose, all interest in a lot 30x103.9 on the south side of Fifteenth street, 100 feet east of Clay; consideration nominal.

Catherine Hyde and others to H. C. Capwell Company (a corporation), lot 80x163.8 on the south side of Fifteenth street, 100 feet east of Clay street; consideration nominal.

Samuel C. Haight and wife to H. A. Freund, lot 112.4x79.18x11.45 on the southwest corner of Telegraph avenue and Blake street, south 286 feet to northwest corner of Telegraph avenue and Parker street; consideration nominal.

H. N. Caumet to James N. Keran, lot 50x135 on the south side of Channing way, 260 feet west of Milvia street, Berkeley; consideration nominal.

H. H. McDonald and wife to Mary Salmon, lot 42.6x154.6, on the west side of Perkins street, 167.6 feet west of Van Buren street; consideration nominal.

Henry Maloon to T. H. Greene, lot 42.6x100 on the north side of Twenty-first street, 50 feet east of Chestnut street; consideration nominal.

Maria Bedoni and others to J. E. McCormac, lot 71.2x87, on the southwest corner of Grove and Thirty-ninth streets; consideration nominal.

Ladies Silk Culture Society to C. A. Hooper & Co., 6.22 acres in Piedmont Park tract; consideration nominal.

Narcisso and Enrico Guidotti to William J. Moore, lot 10.17x134.64 on the north side of Bancroft way, 100 feet west of Milvia street; consideration nominal.

Eliza J. Barrett to Clarence Crowell, lot 50x150 on southwest side of Santa Clara avenue, 501.7 feet southeast of Oakland avenue; also lot 15 in block 16 Claremont Court, Berkeley; consideration nominal.

P. R. Gardner and wife and others to O. Frederiksen, lots 15, 16, 51 and 52 in block F of Broadway Terrace; consideration nominal.

Helen M. Goyette to Alameda F. Alberga, lot 1 in block N, East Piedmont Heights tract; consideration nominal.

A. R. King and wife to Joseph Mazzini, lot 157.8x140 on the west side of Oak street, 207.5 feet north of Santa Clara avenue, Alameda; consideration nominal.

J. C. Howlett and wife to Fred R. Parker, lot 59x105.4½ on the southwest side of Jackson street 90 feet southeast of Grove, Alameda; consideration nominal.

John F., R. G. and M. B. Vizarlo to Union Water Company, 28.67 acres in Rancho Potrero de Los Cerritos, known as Home place, northeast of county road leading from Center like to Alvarado and embracing a section of the bed of Alameda creek; consideration nominal.

Fred Lasel land wife to William Parson, lot 50.17x187.07 on the west side of Benvenue street, 120.42 feet north of Ashby, Berkeley; consideration, $1150.

A. F. Pollard to Union Water Company, 2.029 acres in Toler-Peralta partition plot on Jones avenue; consideration nominal.

Oakland Trust Co. to State Savings Bank, lot 40.6x53 on the northwest corner of Thirteenth and Franklin streets; consideration nominal.

Estate of Roger S. Fitzpatrick by administratrix to M. Sabatino, undivided one-half interest in lot 7 and north 16 feet of lot 28 in Block A of Webster, Twenty-fourth and Valdez streets property; consideration $750.

Wallace R. Ford and wife to A. J. Snyder, lot 110x30, being lot 23 in Block R of Paradise Park tract; consideration nominal.

Cesar Bernon to Elizabeth E. Myers, lot 25x125 on the west side of Market street 50.7½ feet south of Twenty-first street; consideration nominal.

Joseph Y. Viery and wife to J. T. Hollenbeck, group of lots and portions of lots in Fitchburg Homestead tract, on the consideration nominal.

MORTGAGES.

Olivia E. Warfield to Livermore Valley Savings Bank, lot 41x120 on the west side of Regent street, 141 feet north of Alcatraz avenue; $500.

W. B. Reinhart and wife to Mrs. Kate Donohoe, lot 40x70 on the southwest side of East Fourteenth street, 110 feet southeast of Seventh avenue; $2000.

H. S. Butler and wife to Soloman Rousseau, four lots on the west side of Colby street in the Roberts and Wolfskill tract; $6000.

Percy H. Goolbun and wife to Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Company, lot 20x100 on the north side of Ashby, 140 feet west of Newbury; $2500.

Amigail G. Edwards to Stephen T. Gage, southwest corner of Woolsey street and Benvenue street, 15 x120; $7000.

Robert Belcher to Lynne E. Olney, lots 1, 2 and 3 in Block 15, also that portion of the Park path between Oakridge path and Roblie road in Oakridge tract, $4000.

James M. Keran and wife to H. N. Conwet, lot 50x135 on the south side of Channing way, 260 feet west of Milvia street; $4000.

H. A. Freund and wife to N. E. Neary, tract in Berkeley; $17,000.

Realty Syndicate to Alice M. Nye, wife of A. B. Nye, lot 50x250 on the north side of Fortieth street, 200 feet east of Market; also lot 50x100 on the south side of Fortieth street, 200 feet west of Telegraph avenue; also lot 540x330.44 at the intersection of the south side of Forty-second street with the east line of Market street; $7000.

F. J. Woodward and wife to Oakland Bank of Savings, lot 25x86.35 on the north side of Eighteenth street, 118.67 feet west of San Pablo avenue; also lot 81.6x100 on the west side of San Pablo avenue, 150 feet south of Curtis street; $40,000.

Crown Creamery Co. to Elizabeth A. Scott, lot 40x85 on the east side of Benvenue street, 40 feet south of Webster street; $2750.

Mary Salmon to H. H. McDonald and wife, lot 42.6x154.6 on the west side of Perkins street, 167.6 feet north of Van Buren street; $500.

L. P. E. and C. Schubart to Farmers and Mercantile Savings Bank, north 25 feet of lot 8 and south 15 feet of lot 9 in Morse tract, $5000; also same party to S. A. Downing on same property, $1811.

Breed and Bancroft to George E. Dowling and wife, portion of plot 73 in Kellersberger map of the Rancho V. and D. Peralta, on the north side of Ashby street, 558.58 feet east of Dana street, Berkeley, $24,000.

J. J. Pfister and wife to Friedrich Weigmann, three lots on the south side of Parker street 225.8 feet east of Seventh street, the southwest corner of Parker and Ninth street and the southwest corner of Peralta and Tenth streets, Berkeley; $15,000.

C. A. Martin and wife to First National Bank of Denver, lot 50x105.1 on the east side of Dana street, 118.3 feet north of Bancroft way, Berkeley; $7000.

M. E. Bavermale and wife to W. T. Watson and wife, lot 50x150 on the southeast corner of Laguna and Haight streets in Adams Point property; $6000.

Alameda F. and W. R. Alberger to Helen M. Golette, lot 7 in block N of East Piedmont Heights tract; $2500.

Orrie E. Crossman and wife to Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank, lot 120x11 on the southwest corner of Sausal street and Fruitvale avenue; $1000.

James Smith and wife to Farmers and Merchants Savings Bank, lot 50x135.10 on the south side of Forty-ninth street, 450 feet east of Telegraph avenue; $2500.

Percy T. Tompkins and wife to University Savings Bank, lots 6, 7, 8, 45 to 48 and portions of lots 1 and 2 in block 2 of Berkeley Square tract; $4000.

W. D. C. Slade and wife to Edward Schmitt, lot 105x165 on the southwest corner of Parker street and San Pablo avenue, Berkeley; $2500.

RELEASES.

Lyman C. McCall to Percy L. Bliss and wife, portions of lots 32, 33 and 34 in block D of Oakland View Homestead Association; $2500.

Henry E. Mathews to Miles M. Gonsevic, southwest corner of Park street and San Pablo avenue, 100x696; $7500.

Estate of Peter H. Stubbs, by executor, to Lake Doyle and wife, lot 1 and 28 in block 79 Kellersberger map, and east 10 in Boulevard Terrace tract; $6000.

Yolo County Savings Bank to Ronald H. Rapale and wife, lot 45 in block D in Highland Terrace tract, $2000.

Home Savings Bank of Woodland, to Abigail G. Edwards, lot 150x100 on the southeast corner of Woolsey street and Benvenue; $6000.

The Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Co., to Percy H. Goodban and wife, lot 40x100 on the north side of Ashby, 140 feet west of Newbury; $2500.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Fred Henrietta G. and John B. Jordan, lot 100x123 on the northwest corner of Broadway and Delmar street, $20,000.

W. T. and H. M. Welch to G. W. Skilling and wife, lot under lot at the intersection of the south side of Hinks street and west line of Telegraph avenue, being a portion of the Lent and Hall tract, $500; also George W. Haight to G. W. Skilling on same property, $20,000.

Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Company to Charles D. Akers and wife, lot 50x150 on the south side of Durant street, 150 west of Dana, Berkeley, $3000.

Joseph R. Kaelin to John Howe and wife, lots 16 to 21 and west 11 feet of lot 25 in block 61 in the north addition to Brooklyn, $3850.

Berkeley Bank of Savings and Trust Company to W. L. C. Slade and wife, lot 155x51.5 at the southwest corner of Parker street and San Pablo avenue, $2500.

Alice M. Nye, wife of A. B. Nye, to The Realty Syndicate, lots 1, 2, 6 and 7 in block 671 and 1-4, 2 in block 672 of the Glascock tract, $7000.

Nita Myers to James R. Young lot 12 in block 5 of Northlands tract No. 1; $8500.

CLEARING SITE OF NEW CITY HALL

Also the Site of New Capwell Emporium; Progress of Wreckers' Work.

The wreckers are industrially at work clearing off the old buildings occupying the block on which the Capwell Emporium and the new City Hall are to be built, fronting on Fourteenth and Fifteenth and Clay street and Washington street, extended to San Pablo avenue.

Touraine Hotel, one of the old landmarks of the neighborhood, is being torn down. It will soon be a thing of the past. The wreckers have partially, and in some cases wholly, demolished most of the other buildings occupying the premises. As soon as the ground is cleared the excavation of the big pits for both buildings will be started.

Residence of A. K. Percival and A. J. Snyder, southwest corner of Dana and Woolsey streets, to cost $4500. T. D. Newsom, architect.

Men and teams at work on Mandana Boulevard, Oakland's new avenue, giving direct access to Piedmont.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH TRANSFER

Persons Interested in Syndicate Purchasing Property; Neighboring Owners.

Public interest has been centered in the ownership of property adjacent to the First Presbyterian Church on Fourteenth street and Franklin, the purchase of which by an Oakland syndicate inasmuch as the composition of the syndicate is more or less shrouded in mystery. THE TRIBUNE was informed by what ought to have been regarded as reliable authority that the leading spirit in the syndicate was Attorney R. M. Fitzgerald and that Frank M. Smith, J. F. Carlston and others owning property in the immediate neighborhood of the church property were associated. It has since been asserted that Smith is not in the deal, but that Fitzgerald and Carlston are the chief members of the syndicate.

These two capitalists are wealthy enough to carry through the deal alone. In an interview with a TRIBUNE representative Mr. Fitzgerald said he had only a minor interest and that, being attorney for the syndicate, he could not say anything about its membership, its purpose of its plans.

PERSONNEL OF SYNDICATE.

But, whoever actually constitutes the syndicate, they were able to give a certified check for $30,000 as an earnest of good faith. The amount of the check represents, of course, the deposit of the usual 10 per cent of the money involved in the deal. "Whether Smith or anybody else is in the syndicate or not," remarked a well known financier, "it makes no difference. Fitzgerald and Carlston are fully able to buy the church property. Both are rich men. If they put up," he added, "$25,000 of their own money the banks will readily advance them the rest to make good the $300,000 cash to the Presbyterian Church. As a matter of fact, every large trade in realty is carried out on a similar basis. If the buyer can lay down a certain percentage of the purchase price, in such a case, the banks will readily advance the remainder. As a matter of fact nearly all the trading in realty is done in that way. But either of these two men is capable of making the purchase without aid from any source."

NEIGHBORING PROPERTY.

However, coming back to the ownership of neighboring property to the First Presbyterian block. The Central Bank block on the northeast corner of Broadway and Fourteenth street is owned by the Central National Bank, of which J. F. Carlston is president. On the southeast corner of the same thoroughfares, immediately opposite, is the Macdonough Theater block, owned by William G. Henshaw, and the block in the rear, fronting on the railroad cut-off, is owned by W. E. Dargie. W. H. L. Hynes, assistant district attorney, owns the northwest corner of Franklin and Fourteenth streets, where the Athenian Club has its headquarters. To the northward of these properties is the Realty Syndicate block, running through from Broadway to Franklin, with a frontage of 100 feet on each street, the ownership of which is in Frank M. Smith, who, for the sake of the Franklin street frontage of the property is interested in obliterating the deadline created by the church property on Franklin street with its 202 feet of frontage on that thoroughfare.

The east half of the Fourteenth street frontage abutting on the church property is owned by the Bradley estate. On the opposite or east side of Webster street, fronting on the north side of Fourteenth street, is the building recently occupied as the headquarters of the Young Men's Christian Association. This property is owned by Architect D. Franklin Oliver, who is also the owner of the property facing the curve of the narrow gauge railroad from Webster street to the Fourteenth street station and fronting on Thirteenth street, on which, within the past two years, he erected a two-story class C building. The property on the northwest corner of Fourteenth and Harrison is owned by an estate. On the south side of Fourteenth street, east of Webster street, the southeast corner is owned by Dr. A. F. Merriman. Adjoining it on the east is the property owned by Mrs. Kate Fitzgerald, the mother of Attorney R. M. Fitzgerald. East of that to Harrison street, the Fourteenth street frontage is owned by the Scottish Rite corporation. The Southern Pacific Company owns the entire block between Franklin and Webster streets. On the Webster street frontage, between Fourteenth and Thirteenth streets, the ownership of the property south of the Merriman holdings is vested in W. J. Veitch, Mrs. Pennoyer and H. A. Powell.

From the foregoing it is easy for the reader to draw his own deductions as to whom the membership of the syndicate that has bought the First Presbyterian Church property is composed, and it proves conclusively that there has been future prospects of development of Oakland land in the deal.

BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Butter—Fancy, creamery, 26c; seconds, 27c; fancy dairy, 25c. Eggs—Store, 30c; fancy ranch, 32@35c. Cheese—New, 14@16c; Young Americas, 15½@16c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 21@27c; dairies, 17@23c. Eggs—Receipts, 6040 cases; steady at mark (cases included), 23@27c; firsts, 28c; ordinary firsts, 29c. Cheese—Steady; Daisies, 15¼@15½c; Twins, 13¾@13¾c; Young Americas, 15¼@16c; Long Horns, 16c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Butter—Special creamery, 28c; extras, 26c; third to first, 19@24½c; creamery, held, third to special, 19½@24½c. Factory held, 19½@20½c.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

DEEDS RECORDED FRIDAY, JANUARY 13.

Elmer P. Groben and wife to David J. Guggenhime, undivided one-half, lot 1, block 8, map East Piedmont Heights Extension, Oakland township; $10.

Arthur S. Ward to Ida T. Ward, SE Fifth (Strode) avenue, 110 SW East Ninth (Jefferson) street, SW 40 by SE 145, portion block 8, Town of Clinton, Oakland; $10.

William S. Latham Jr. to William O. Botham, San Francisco street, 240 E Grant, W 25, S 26.4½, E 25, N 125.4 to beginning, E 25 feet lot 4, block 4, State University Homestead Association No. 4, Berkeley; $10.

Piedmont Hills Improvement Company to Chester B. Reiff (married), lot 10, block B, map Grand-avenue Heights-by-the-Parks, Oakland; $10.

Jose N. and Margarida Rodrigues to Eduardo Crivella, E one-half lot 6, block L, fronting on Ruby street, map Knox tract, Hayward, Eden township; $10.

James and Cleora H. Sundarland to Waldo M. Bunner, W Ardley street, 110 S Cameron, W 139 by S 40, subdivision 3 of Cameron tract, Oakland; $10.

Horace and Emma B. Haynes to Elizabeth Codling, lots 88 and 89, map Buena Vista tract, Berkeley; $10.

J. F. Goodwin to Final Oil Company (corporation), commencing at SW corner plot 89, map hereinafter referred to, running S along E shore line San Francisco bay 155, NE 177 to point on W Third street, 175 feet S from point which is distant NE from beginning, N 175, W 178 to beginning, portion plot 60, Neilersberger's map, Berkeley; $500.

Jennie F., E. B. and A. L. Stone Company to James D. Williams, lots 6 and 8, map Stone Orchard, Stonehurst, Brooklyn township; $10.

Ellen M. Wetherbee (widow) to Helen G. Brosaman, E Fruitvale avenue, 30 S Farnam street, S 25 by E 100, N 25 feet lot 2, map Wetherbee-Farnam tract, Oakland; $10.

Aaron Yohl to Lena Yohl (wife), lot 1, map Hoffman-Kerr bonus tract, resubdivision portion of Cords tract, Oakland; gift.

A. E. and Anna H. Percival (wife) to Mollie Nelson (wife William), W Market street, 58.29 S Thirty-third, SS 29 to S boundary line block J, W 116 by N 25, portion block G, map property Central Land Company, Oakland; $10.

William Nelson (husband) to Mollie Nelson (wife), same, Oakland; gift.

Vancliff and Anona Wehe (wife) to Fred Glasier, E Mantis (Fourth) avenue, 205.74 S College avenue, S 40, E 95.62, NE 41.76, W 80.36 to beginning, lot 20, block M, Vernon Park, Oakland; $10.

H. Farrington (single) to J. T. Bridgewater (single), E Magnolia street, 250 S Thirty-second, S 25 by E 128.3, portion lot 4, block 687-B, Peralta Homestead, Oakland; $10.

John M. and Emma S. Foy (wife) to Fannie Jordan (wife H. O.), S Durant street, 350 W Ellsworth, W 50 by S 130, portion lot 2, block H, College Homestead, Berkeley; $10.

William Hoffschneider (widow) to J. R. and Mary A. O'Donnell (wife), NW Moss and Leighton streets, N 35 by W 100, Oakland; $10.

George T. and Margaret Leon (wife) to F. E. Outhern, W Chestnut street, 227 N Fourteenth, N 27, W 100, S 2, W 17, S 23, E 117 to beginning, Oakland; $10.

Florence Poole to Robert B. Bahn, intersection SW county road from Oakland to San Leandro with SE Fifth avenue, SW 110.01 by SE 30.5, lot 8, block 2, Kinsell tract, Brooklyn township; $10.

Andrew J. and Charlotte J. Hansen to W. and Teresa Pigllone, SE East Ninth street, 26 SW Twenty-eighth avenue, SE 25, SW 100, lot 2, block T, map Knowles & Potter subdivision Kennedy tract, Oakland; $10.

Bernard and Edith Moses (wife) to Mary J. Hall (wife A. F.), S Carlton street, 180 W Grant, W 40 by S 120, portion lots 1 and 2, block D, map Crystal Spring tract, Berkeley; $10.

Royal T. and Belle T. Howard to M. T. Mincy, O. W. Gandy and R. P. Williams, S McKee, 350 W Occidental, W 87, S 135, E 30, N 135, lot 3, block P, map of Paradise Park, Oakland; $10.

Anna and Jose Silva (husband) to Jacob and Margaret Seig (wife), W Eighth street, 496.55 S Channing way, W 185, S 93.79, lot 20, block 135, Avery tract, Berkeley; $10.

George W. and Harriet Emmons to Maude Gruner, S Ashby avenue with E line lot 1, W 40 by S 100, portion lots 1 and 2, block B, map of Elmwood Park, Berkeley; $10.

Same to same, S Ashby avenue with E line lot 1, W 40, S 100 from point of beginning, W 100 to E Ashby avenue, N 50, E 100, S 50 to beginning, portion lots same, Berkeley; $10.

James F. and Annie T. McCourmey to Mary A. Belden (widow), N Forty-third street, 585 E Grove, E 65 by N 100, portion plot 30, Kellersberger's map, Oakland; quitclaim deed; $10.

Julia E. Goodwin (widow) to Annie G. McCord, W., E. H. and G. H. Goodwin, E Center street, 98.5 S Ninth, S 28.9 by E 81.8, portion block 552, map Eighth-street tract, Oakland; gift.

Clara J. Smith (widow) to Emma L. Smith (single), W Milvia street, 210 S Vine, S 50 by W 109.6, portion lots 7 to 10, block 6, map Graves & Taylor tract, Berkeley; gift.

E. M. and Grace M. Hitch (wife) to W. A. Markley, E Adeline street, 97.83 N Forty-first, N 102.61, S 38, W 105.56, N 38.15 to beginning, portion of lot 17, map H. C. Dohr's Homestead, Oakland; $10.

Robert H. S. and J. R. Butler to Emma J. Butler, lot 1 and E 12.6 feet lot 2, map Hagar tract, Oakland; $10.

Peralta Land Company to M. T. Mincy (married), lot 31 and W 12½ lot 32, block N, map Ivywood, Oakland; $10.

George W. and Harriet Emmons to R. C. and Minnie M. Anderson (wife), S Ashby (Elmwood) avenue, 40 W from intersection with E lot 1, S 50, W 100 to E line of Ashby avenue, N and E along said line of Ashby avenue 145.56 to beginning, portion lot 1, block B, map Elmwood tract, Berkeley; $10.

Axel F. and Mary B. Enquist to Hallett W. Smith, N Ward street, 125.38 W Grove, W 40, N 110, N 26 feet lot 20, block 1, map of Grove-street Line tract, Berkeley; $10.

BUILDERS' CONTRACTS.

January 12.—The Realty Syndicate (owners) with Sartoris Company (contractors)—E Broadway, 101 N Fourteenth street, N 124, E 126, S 124, W 26, W 90 to beginning, Oakland, for $10,000.

January ..—Same owners with Stockholm & Allyn (contractors) Same for $32,300.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The quotations today were as follows:

WHEAT—PER BUSHEL.

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$1.01¾	$1.02¼	$1.01¾	$1.01¾
July	.96⅞	.96⅝	.96¼	.96⅜
September	.95	.95	.94⅝	.94⅝

CORN—PER BUSHEL.

May	.50	.50	.49⅝	.49⅝
July	.51	.51	.50⅝	.50⅝
September	.51¾	.51¾	.51⅛	.51⅛

OATS—PER BUSHEL.

May	.34¾	.34¾	.34⅜	.34⅜
July	.34⅝	.34⅝	.34⅜	.34⅜
September	.33½	.33½	.33¼	.33⅝

PORK—PER BARREL.

January	20.00	20.10	20.00	20.00
May	19.07½	19.12½	18.87½	18.87½

LARD—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.50	10.50	10.45	10.45
May	10.07½	10.12½	10.03	10.03
July	10.02½	10.02½	9.97½	9.97½

SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.

January	10.52½	10.70	10.70	10.70
May	10.10	10.10	10.02½	10.02½
July	....	....	....	9.95

DAILY MOVEMENT OF PRODUCE.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	11,947	11,950
Wheat, bushels	24,000	12,400
Corn, bushels	61,875	292,500
Oats, bushels	237,300	178,000
Rye, bushels	8,500	.....
Barley, bushels	38,000	41,200

THE METAL MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The metal markets were dull and nominally unchanged, as is usual in the absence of exchanges.

Tin, 40.10@40.50c.

Lake copper, 13.87½@13.12½c; electrolytic, 12.62½@13c; casting, 12.87½@12.62½c.

Lead, 4.46@5.55c.

Spelter, 5.55@5.65c.

Iron, unchanged.

SAYS HE FORESAW GREAT DISASTER

Frank A. Parret Declares He Predicted Big Earthquake at Messina.

WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 14.—Thomas Messina earthquake was the source of much valuable scientific data for Frank A. Perret, now in this city, who was at the scene of the disaster during all of the time when the shocks were in progress. He believes that the only way to obtain accurate information concerning the habits of volcanoes and the qualities of an earthquake is to be as near the center of disturbance as possible. Accompanied by only one guide, he has ventured much farther into the danger zones than any other scientist. Mr. Perret told of his expectation that an earthquake would break out in Italy at the time of the Messina catastrophe. He had the correct data fixed in his mind, and hastened from this country to Italy so as to be on the ground in time. On the way over he feared he might not arrive in time, and even declined invitations to dine in Naples on the day his steamer docked, for fear that he would be too much delayed thereby. As it was he and the earthquake arrived in Messina at about the same time.

Mr. Perret has brought back with him a highly interesting series of pictures, taken by him in Messina and vicinity. Many of these pctures are of great scientific value, because they show definitely the direction of the earthquake waves and length. Mr. Perret says that if the earthquake motion is from the north, objects affected thereby will fall either north or south, never to the other points of the compass. The same is true of waves from any direction, the object must fall either in the direction whence the wave comes or the direction whither it goes.

Mr. Perret was asked if he had in mind now any dates on which he was expecting volcanic or earthquake disturbances. He said that he had, but that he would not divulge them for anything, because people have in recent years become so nervous in the earthquake regions that they are ready to flee in panic at the slightest intimation of danger.

Took Ribs Away to Cure Tuberculosis

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, Jan. 14.—The Black, the young man who had practically all of his right lung removed by Dr. T. M. Haskins as a cure for tuberculosis, and who is recovering, does not seem to suffer pain except when his wound is dressed.

In making the operation Dr. Haskins removed all of the ribs except the floating ribs, and literally hacked them out with a hammer and chisel. It became necessary to move the shoulder blade back in order to get at the upper ribs.

Black will have only one lung, but the surgeon says he again will be a well and hearty man, though there will be a great depression in his chest owing to the absence of the ribs. The chest will knit to the part of the remaining right lung.

SUMMARY OF THE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—National strike on Portuguese railroads declared off.

Standard Oil hearing before Supreme Court will be continued next week.

D. & M. asks permission of public service board to issue $7,000,000 bonds.

Dun's Review says more inquiry for certain lines, but high cost of productions leads to measures for curtailment of supply.

Bradstreet's says trade shows an increasing disposition to throw off the quiet of the holiday period.

Leather business dull, with curtailment general.

Rather better feeling in cotton goods trade. Coal trade unfavorably affected by mild weather.

United States Steel likely to show $28,300,000 net earned for December quarter.

Sloss-Sheffield now earning about 8 per cent on common.

Railway equipment companies report show somewhat better inquiry.

Idle cars for fortnight ending January 4, 106,824, an increase in previous showing of 108 per cent.

Twelve industrials advanced .81; twenty active railroads advanced .182.

COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Cotton opened steady at an advance of 4 points on January, but generally 1 point higher to 2 points lower, and closed steady, with prices net 2 points higher to 2 points lower.

Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: January, 14.85c; February, 14.74c; March, 14.85c; April, 14.90c; May, 15.02c; June, 15.02c; July, 15.02c; August, 14.73c; October, 13.80c.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 14.90c; do gulf, 15.15c. Sales, 1045 bales.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Cotton—Liverpool due 8 to 8½ higher. Opened quiet and unchanged to 1½ higher. Closed steady, 8 to 8½ up on old crop and 1 point up on new. Spots dull, 2 lower, at 8.05d. Sales 6000, including 5000 American.

No port estimates.

The Chronicle says: Our telegraphic advices from the South indicate that the weather has been quite favorable on the whole during the week. Little or no rain fell and temperatures have been higher. The crop continues to move with comparative freedom.

The Chronicle places spinners' takings of American cotton for the week, 326,512, against 256,610 last year. Takings for the season to date, 5,242,858, against 5,280,185 last year.

Arrivals of cotton at New York yesterday were 6547 bales, including 634 consigned, 253 on order, 2600 for export and 4220 for forward.

The New York Cotton Exchange places the general visible supply at 5,206,214 bales, an increase during the week of 33,554, compared with 4,822,833 last year, when a decrease of 18,267 was shown.

The quotations today were as follows:

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	14.05	14.03	14.80	14.04@14.85
February	....	....	....	14.74@14.76
March	14.87	14.83	14.82	14.85@14.89
April	....	....	....	14.96@14.97
May	15.05	14.05	14.08	15.03@15.04
June	....	....	....	15.02@15.04
July	15.09	14.07	14.97	15.02@15.04
August	14.70	14.71	14.09	14.71@14.73
October	13.84	13.86	13.80	13.85@13.88

WHEAT WEAKENED BY BIG OFFERINGS

Easy Tone Depresses and the Domestic Cash Demand Is Shown.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Bigger [illegible] and cheaper Australian and Argentine offerings at Liverpool weakened wheat here today. The easy tone and free realizing at the English market were sufficiently depressing in themselves, but the bearish effect was added to by the fact that the domestic cash demand was slow.

Although there was moisture southwest, as was predicted, the amount proved meagre and temperatures were lower, with a cold wave working south. The opening was o¼ to ⅜c under last night. May started at $1.01⅜ to $1.01⅝@1.01¾, a loss of ⅛@¼c, and declined to $1.01¼.

Purchases by a leading long led to a temporary rally. The close, however, was easy, with May at $1.01¼, a net loss of ⅜c.

Generally seasonable weather and expected large receipts rendered corn somewhat heavy. May opened ⅛c to ¼c down, at 46⅝c to 50c, and sank to 46½c.

Support from commission houses failed to hold prices. The close, though, was steady, with May at 49¾c, a net loss of ⅝c.

Heavy sales by leading elevator concern made the props in the oats pit a little unsteady. May started unchanged to ⅛c off at 34⅜c to 34⅞c, and fell to 34⅝c.

Provisions declined because of lack of demand. First sales were the same as last night to be lower, with May options at $10.20 for pork, $10.10 for lard and $10.07½ to $10.10 for ribs. The closing quotations were as follows:

Wheat—July, 86⅜c; September, 94½@94¾c.

Corn—May, 49¾c; July, 50⅝@50¾c; September, 51½c.

Oats—May, 34½@34⅝c; July, 34⅜c; September, 33⅝c.

Pork—May, $18.97½.

Lard—January, $10.45; May, $10.05; July, $9.97½.

Ribs—January, $10.70; May, $10.02½.

Rye—Cash, 82c.

Barley—Cash, 70@81.

Timothy—Cash, $3.25@10; March, $10.80@10.

Clover—Cash, $10@14.25; March, $10.95.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—The Inter Ocean says: Yesterday was Friday, the 13th, and in addition it was Mr. Heaman's birthday. This was given as the reason for the early break in wheat. It was said last night by those close to the bull interest that their position in wheat here will be no permanent decline so long as they maintain their present attitude. The surplus is off the market and if they continue to hold it the market is easily over-sold on breaks. Part of the selling yesterday was by calendar players, who figured that there is gain- really a profit in selling wheat short at this time in January. There were a great many all opinions expressed last night among a number of the best traders, who believe that the government over-estimated the crop, particularly in the northwest. Sentiment in corn along local professionals is bearish and cash people are more bearish than the speculators, but the former are doing a hedging business while the speculator is afraid to stand more than ¼c to ½c loss. As one trader expressed it, "there is a bull scalping it, taking the corn sold by the pit element on the breaks and selling it back to them on bulges of ½c or ¾c." Cash people predict that it will not be long before the market will break away from the speculative influence and prices decline sharply unless there is a decided improvement in the cash demand here and a let-up in the receipts.

MINING STOCKS.

Furnished by Zadig & Co., Stock Brokers, 324 Bush St., S. F.

Morning Session, Saturday, January 14.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Ophir	1.15	..	Utah	.07	..
Mexican	78	..	Utah Con	.07	.12
Gould & Curry	12	..	Exchequer	.07	..
Best & Belch	25	..	Seg Belcher	.05	..
Con Virginia	60	..	North Star	.25	..
Savage	69	..	Union	.23	..
Challar	11	..	Bulla	.14	..
Hale & Norc	..	.15	Caledonia	..	.20
Yellow Jacket	85	..	Silver Hill	..	..
Alpha	..	.02	Challenge Con	..	.09
Belcher	..	.03	Occidental	.41	..
Sierra Nevada	18	..	Andes	..	.04

TONOPAH.

Montana	88	..	North Star	.04	..
Tonopah Ex	..	.99	West End	.65	..
MacNamara	..	.15	Rescue Con	.00	.11
Midway	.10	..	Jim Butler	.25	..
Belmont	3.50	..			

GOLDFIELD.

Gold Coin	6.15	..	Atlanta	.18	..
Columbia Mt	.02	..	Great Bend	.01	..
Jumbo Ex	.23	..	Red Top Ex	.03	..
Booth	.07	..	Florence	1.55	..
Blue Bull	.04	..	Comb Fraction	.15	..
Silver Pick	.08	..	Great Bend Ex	.01	..
Blue Bell	.01	..	Kewa	.08	..
St Ives	.15	..	Crack Jack	.01	..
C O D	..	.11	Red Hills	.02	..
Lone Star	.02	..	Yellow Tiger	.07	..
Oro	.04	.06	Diamond Dick	.01	..

BULLFROG.

Bonnie Clare	..	.02	Home Fk King	..	.01
Mayflwr Cons	..	.01	Pram Cons	..	.02
Montgmry Mt	..	.01			

RAWHIDE

Coalition	..	.05			

MANHATTAN.

Manh Cons	..	.04	Manh Mining	.02	..
Manh Dexter	..	.03			

OTHER DISTRICTS.

Round Mt	..	.45	Eagle's Nest	..	.04
Nevada Hills	2.35	..	Fairview	..	.04
Pitts S Peak	.75	..	Fairview Hallet	..	.03

SALES.

200	Pitts S Peak	.75	1000	Merger	6.17½
500	Nevada Hills	2.35	100	Do	6.17½
900	Merger	6.25	300	Do	6.17½
100	Do	6.20	30	Do	6.20
100	Do	6.25	50	Do	6.23
100	Do	6.20	200	Do, b 5	6.25
100	Do	6.15	100	Do	6.17½
200	Do	6.17½	500	Fraction	15
100	Do	6.16	8000	Atlanta	13

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE—OIL.

Morning Session, Saturday, January 14.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Alma	09	..	Mont Cristo	2.85	..
Amy	85	..	New County	.10	..
Apollo	..	10	New Midway	.10	..
Assoc Oil	..	48	New Pa Pet	.50	..
Brookshire	..	1.25	Occidental	.16	..
Cal Soabrd	..	30	Pac Coast Pet	..	..
Caribou	1.35	1.42	Paraffine	.70	.73
Chevalier	1.07	1.10	Palmer	1.60	1.65
Coal Cent	..	40	Palmer Union	.55	..
Coal Mohwk	1.00	1.05	Pearl	..	4.50
Coal Natl	21	..	Piedmont	.06	10
Coos Midway	17	..	Pinal	4.00	..
Crescent	..	10	Premier	.72	..
Dabney	..	10	Republic	..	.47
De Luxe	1.25	1.35	Sanel Dough	..	1.95
Dominion	..	50	Seelbach	28.00	..
Empire	..	2.50	Sespe	8.00	..
Enos	47	10	Sewall	.50	.60
Fulton	..	1.20	Silver Top	1.80	2.00
Getzin	..	45	W & B	.85	.90
Grande	18	20	Stell	2.00	2.10
Kern River	..	8.00	Thorn	1.00	1.25
Lucile	..	12.50	Unit Oil	.70	..
Maricopa Nit	28	..	Wolverine	.40	..
Maricopa Sta	..	2.15	W L Oil Co	2.80	..
Monarch	2.60	..	Yellowstone	..	25
McKittrick	.15	..	Stone Fraction	.84	..

SALES.

25	Assoc Oil	46.87½	500	Diamond	1.05
400	De Luxe	1.30	200	Diamond	1.03
100	Monte Cristo	2.40	800	Do	1.03
800	New Pa Pet	.50	400	Do, 60	1.05
100	Palmer Union	55	1000	Palmer Union	55
100	Premier	73	1000	Do	53
2000	Wolverine	45			

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Receipts, estimated at 300; market, steady; beeves, $4.25@6.50; Western steers, $4.65@6.10; Texas steers, $4.65@5.10; stockers and feeders, $3.85@5.90; cows and heifers, $2.85@6.50; calves, 7.50@10.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 12,000; market, steady; light, $7.70@7.85; mixed, $7.70@7.85; heavy, $7.70@7.85; rough, $7.70@7.80; good to choice heavy, $7.80@7.90; pigs, $7.40@8.05; bulk of sales, $7.75@7.90.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 15000; market, steady; native, $3.60; Western, $3.60@4.45; yearlings, $4.80@5.75. Lambs—Native, $4.75@6.65; Western, $5@8.45.

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 14.—Wheat—Firm, no trading; cash, $1.47½@1.70.

Barley—Strong; May, $1.19¾ bid, $1.20¾ asked; December, $1.15½ bid, $1.16 asked; cash, $1.12½@1.17½.

Corn—Steady; Western White yellow, $1.24.

WOOL MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 14.—Wool—Unchanged; Territory and Western mediums, 17@19c; fine, 12@13. 21@23c; fine medi-

LIVERPOOL GRAIN

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 14.—Close—Wheat—March, 7s 1½d; May, 7s 2½d.

EXTENSIVE TRADING MARKS OPENING

Activity Marked in Wall Street Markets; U. S. Steel Leader.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The feature of the opening of the stock market today was extensive trading in United States Steel and Reading. Steel opened with a block of 9000 shares at 76¾ to 76¾. A block of 5000 Reading shares changed hands at 156¾ to 156¾, an advance of ½ point. Toledo, St. Louis and Western advanced a point and there were ¾ point gains in Louisville and Nashville, Union Pacific and Great Northern preferred. The tone of the market was strong.

Stocks were supplied freely on the advance and the market reacted slightly and became dull. New York Central was weak on rumors that a large bond issue would soon be made. Some weak spots cropped out, American Beet Sugar losing 1¼ and St. Louis Southwestern preferred and Western Maryland preferred 1½. Northern Pacific made the best showing of the leading stocks, rising 4 point to 118¾. Railway Steel Springs moved up 1¾ and American Hide preferred 1¾.

At 11 o'clock Lehigh Valley was bid up rapidly to 178¾, a gain of over a point, and the rest of the list immediately picked up in sympathy.

The close was heavy.

The market failed to hold its slight improvement on the bulge in Lehigh Valley to 179, selling for both accounts forcing Union Pacific, Reading, Southern Pacific and Canadian Pacific slightly below yesterday's close and New York Central over a point. Liquidation in some of the industrials helped along the setback. American Beet Sugar losing 2 and Westinghouse Electric first preferred 7 points. The Rock Island stocks and St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred advanced briskly in spite of the general heaviness.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Gibson says: The market acts very well and the bears do not make any headway. There is some profit-taking from time to time on the hard spots, but the stocks so sold are quickly absorbed and there is an inclination on the part of profit-taking sellers to replace commitments very quickly on limited breaks. The best buying is in Reading, Consolidated Gas, Beet Sugar and Southern Railway preferred. But the accumulation of the equipment stocks and Steel common looks better than at any time in the last six months. No specific news of importance and no change of position. Would pick up good stocks on the moderate recessions and stick to the long side for the present.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—McClellan says: London continues strong and after yesterday's showing of strength here our market apt to follow the advance. The buying yesterday was for both accounts, with short covering urgent near the close. As long as stocks are not sold from outside to any extent our market apt to advance, but with a good reduction of the short interest, which will probably result from a further advance, the market is apt to lose some of its strength. For that reason should think profits on long stocks should be taken on any material improvement.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE.

J. C. Wilson, Stockbroker.

Morning Session, Saturday, January 14.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American River Elec Co 5s	92	98½
Associated Oil Co 5s	....	98½
Cal Gas & E Gen M & C T 6s	97¾	..
Cal Electric Co 5s	88¾	89
Market St Cable 6s	101	..
Do Ry 1st Con Mtg 5s	97½	..
Natomas Consol of Cal 6s	91½	95
Northern Ry Co (of Cal) 5s	110¾	..
Oakland Transit 5s	101¼	..
Oakland Transit Con 6s	101	..
Oakland Traction Con 5s	97	..
Pacific Electric Ry Co 5s	102½	..
Peoples Water Co 5s	66	66½
S F, Oak & S J Ry 2d Mtg 5s	92	..
United R R of S F 4s	71	..

WATER STOCKS.

Peoples Water Co pfdf	88½	89¾
Spring Valley Water Co	97¾	..

GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.

N Cal Power Co Com	....	63
Oro Water L & P Co	64¾	65
Pacific Lighting Corp pfd	....	76

BANK STOCKS.

Bank of California N A	202	..

POWDER STOCKS.

Giant Con Co	84	86

Hawaiian Com & Sugar Co	33	33½
Honokaa Sugar Co	12	12½

OIL STOCKS.

Associated Oil Co	46¾	46¾
Palmer Oil Co	1.60	1.70

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

Alaska Packers' Assn	89½	89¾
California Fruit Canners' Assn	105½	107½
California Wine Assn common	95½	..
Do pfd	82¾	83½
Pacific Tel & Tel common	40	..
Philippine Tel & Tel Corp	24½	26

MORNING SALES.

10000	Du Pont Powder 4½s	....	88
20000	Pacific Tel & Tel 5s	....	97½
9000	Market St Cable 6s	....	98
20000	United R R of S F 4s	....	71
7000	Peoples Water Co 5s	....	66
80	Associated Oil Co	....	46¼
10	Do	....	46⅜
40	City Electric	....	62½
60	Hawaiian Sugar	....	33¾
75	Do	....	33¾
80	Oro Water Co	....	64¾
80	Philippine Tel & Tel	....	25
10	Spring Valley Water	....	98

SUGAR AND COFFEE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Sugar—Raw, easy; Muscovado, 89 test, 3.17c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.67c; molasses sugar, 89 test, 2.92c; refined sugar, quiet; crushed, 5.50c; granulated, 4.80c; powdered, 4.90c.

Coffee—Spot, steady; No. 7 Rio, 15¾c; No. 4 Santos, 14½@14¾c.

ENTRIES FOR MONDAY

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, selling; 3-year-olds:

7915	Helen Hawkins 109
7946	Feather Duster 111
(7956)	Lescur 114
7892	Red Klaw 111
(7814)	Greek Isle 109
7890	Summertime 104
7891	Eddie Mott 111
7331	Olathe 106
7885	Alfareo 109
7965	Abe Slutskoy 114
7914	Anne Revere 106
7931	Twickenham 108

SECOND RACE—Three furlongs, purse; maiden 2-year-old fillies:

7946	Fawness 110
7945	Helen N 110
7946	Zimri 110
7945	Florence S 110
7904	xNada Mas 110
7975	Lavender Lass 107
7923	xMa Mie 110

xCoupled, Camden entry.

THIRD RACE—One and a quarter miles, selling; 4-year-olds and up:

7979	Miss Officious 90
7978	Jim Cafferata 94
7952	Royal River 97
7990	Footloose .....

BERKELEY GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND RESIDENTS IN THE UNIVERSITY TOWN AND HAPPENINGS OF DAY IN THE ISLAND CITY; SOCIAL AND PERSONAL ALAMEDA

4 YEARS' COURSTHIP ENDS IN BEING JILTED

Swain Thought He Had Time, Place and Girl, but was Mistaken.

WEDDING WAS TO HAVE OCCURRED IN ALAMEDA

Miss Peyton McAllister's Sudden Marriage to Another Upsets Plans.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—For four years Edgar Dunlap, a wealthy vineyardist of Napa county, had tried in vain to win the heart and hand of pretty Peyton McAllister, daughter of Dr. McAllister of San Francisco, cousin of E K. Taylor of this city, and who lived with her aunt, Mrs. Amy Kane, on Regent street, this city, and finally succeeded in having the date set.

The arrangements were all made to have the wedding take place in February at the home of E K. Taylor on Lafayette street. Dunlap had negotiated in Napa county to purchase a home for his bride. Even the wedding gown was made, but alas for the hopes of the young swain, another appeared on the scene, George Harbold, a Columbia University graduate.

STRENUOUS WOOING.

He came, he saw, he conquered and after a strenuous wooing won Miss McAllister for his bride. The wedding took place in San Francisco and when Dunlap read the papers he learned that his promised bride had wedded another man.

While the wedding was a surprise to the majority of the bride's friends and relatives, it did not prove so to Miss E. K. Taylor for when the young people visited her Tuesday night she said "Peyton, it would not surprise me if you married Mr. Harbold instead of Mr. Dunlap."

Miss McAllister laughed "It wouldn't surprise me, either," she said, so when Mrs. Taylor learned that the wedding had been held in San Francisco instead of her homeand that Harbold and no Dunlap was to be the future name of the bride, she smiled and said, "I told you so."

BORN IN PALACE HOTEL.

The bride is now living in the Palace hotel, where, by the way, she was born twenty years ago. She ate her wedding dinner under the same roof, the fire of 1906 not being considered, that she first saw the light under. One of the stipulations of her marriage was that she should spend her honeymoon in the Palace hotel.

The young couple have not made their future plans known as yet, but may settle in Nevada. Nothing has been heard from Dunlap, the jilted man, but his friends say he will be bitterly disappointed as he loved Miss McAllister sincerely.

City to Save Money in Assessment Work

BERKELEY, Jan. 14—A new method of collecting data for assessment work that will save the city several hundred dollars and greatly facilitate the work of the assessor's office has been developed by Assessor Harry J. Squires. In previous years the men who have been sent out from the office to cover the city have carried heavy block books, the total number costing about $500. The books were inconvenient to handle and had to be replaced about every three years.

When the work is started this spring the men will carry folders in which are placed about twenty sheets from the books. The six folders were constructed at a cost of only $10 and will last for five or ten years before they will need to be replaced. The sheets carried in them will probably have to be replaced as often as those in the block books at present.

By the use of the folders the work of the men will be made much easier, and the writing can be done quicker and better than with the more cumbersome outfit. At the close of the day's work, the sheets can be turned in and the data transferred to the office books immediately, instead of having a delay of several weeks before a block book could be examined and kept on hand.

By the present method a great deal of inconvenience will also be saved when persons wish to report upon property in the office, as the sheets will nearly all be on hand and filed, instead of outside with the deputy assessor.

The new system is expected to be adopted in many other cities of the country on account of its convenience and economy, as the old block book system is used in practically all cities at present.

Changes Are Made in Alameda Departments

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—The Police and Fire Commission met last night and decided upon many things left over from the last meeting. Hoseman Howard Simpson of Hose Company No. 3 resigned from the rolls and his place was filled by Louis Servente, who has been a substitute for two years and eight months. Simpson left the fire department to take a position with the electric light commission.

On the recommendation of Police Chief Conrad the following special officers, appointed by the commission, were declared revoked: F. N. Delanoy, C. W. Mosley, L. C. Kelton and T. A. Rienoshi.

Probationary drivers John F. Code and Thomas M. Lane were made regular drivers.

Big Hotel Planned by Richmond People

RICHMOND, Jan. 14.—Oil men and local capitalists are planning a new three-story brick and stone hotel for Richmond, is the latest building report. The details are being kept secret it is said, because of efforts that are on to purchase one of two sites on McDonald avenue. The hotels here at present are taxed with business, owing to the number of strangers being attracted to the city, and even if this project should fall through, it will not be long before Richmond will have substantial additions to her hotel accommodations, for others are planning to enter the field.

Hangs Himself on Christmas Berry Bush

MARTINEZ, Jan. 14.—Suspended from a Christmas berry bush with a halter, the body of an unidentified man was found about a mile and a half north of Martinez yesterday morning.

The man was apparently a laborer, about 35 years old. He was about 5 feet 8 inches in height and weighed 170 pounds. He was clad in a dark suit and a dark felt hat. His hair was brown and his eyes blue.

A Waltham watch, numbered 12-044167, was found in his pockets, with $1.80 in change and a pocket knife and a razor. The body could be seen from the railroad track.

NATIVE SONS AND DAUGHTERS AT BRILLIANT INSTALLATION

Reading from top to bottom: MISS LILLIAN FOSS and MISS LELIA BRACKETT.

BERKELEY Jan. 14.—A social and ceremonial event was the joint installation of officers of Berkeley Parlor No 210, N S G W., and Berkeley Parlor No. 150, N. D G W., in Native Sons hall last evening. More than 100 guests were present and enjoyed the dance which followed the installation. The services were conducted by District Deputy Philip Carey for the Native Sons and by District Deputy Grand President Mrs. A. L. Frick of Oakland, for the Native Daughters.

Mrs Susie Nichols, the retiring president of the Native Daughters, was given a diamond locket, and Miss Gertie Heywood and Miss May Robinson each received a gold fountain pen. Among others who were signally honored were Miss Lelia Brackett, Miss May Irwin and District Deputy Grand President Mrs Frick.

Senior Past President of the Native Sons Kennedy was presented with a jewel, the junior past president, Fred Meinheir receiving a pair of gold cuff links.

The officers installed were as follows:

Native Daughters—President, Mrs Lucy Mahoney, first vice-president, Mrs Anna Lahi, second vice-president, Mrs M Reed; third vice-president, Miss Grace Durkin, marshal, Miss Margaret Williams; recording secretary, Miss Lelia Brackett; financial secretary, Miss May Robinson, treasurer, Miss Gertrude Heywood, inside sentine., Miss Irwin; outside sentinel, Miss Lillian Foss; trustees, Miss Elizabeth Grave, Miss, Katherine Blackwell, Mrs. Cecilia Gillis; organist, Miss Sophia Michelson.

Native Sons—President, Junior Past President Fred Meinheit; president, J F Brennan; first vice-president, R. E Warren, second vice-president, James Love, third vice-president, Paul L Stewart, outside sentinel, Elliott Fletcher; doctors of the order, A M Carpenter, Robert Edgar, J E. Shatter, Frank R. Woolsey.

POLICE WILL USE RUBBER 'BILLIES'

Alameda Adopts Humane Club Which Downs but Does Not Maim.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—A new style of police club will soon be in use by the patrolmen of this city. It is known as "the humane" club and is made of rubber, wound around a flexible steel rod. The club comes in three sizes and has proved most satisfactory in other cities. With the new club the officer will be able to hand out a stunning blow to a criminal but will be in no danger of fracturing his skull as the rubber around the rod in the center prevents serious injury.

The new club is said to be even better than the old hickory stick for police use as it delivers a more stunning blow, yet places the man struck in no danger of serious injury.

The new clubs have been ordered from Denver and will be delivered to the police department within the next few days.

Conference Committee Meeting Postponed

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—The meeting of the Conference Committee of the Improvement Clubs which was to have been held last evening to consider ordinance No 104, was postponed for two weeks on account of the difficulty in securing a sufficiently large attendance for the consideration of such an important subject. E. C Marllave, who was appointed to report upon the ordinance, which will, if adopted, restrict the use of the initiative and referendum, will render his report at the next meeting. The annual election of officers will also be held at that time.

Berkeley Police Association Elects

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—A meeting of the Berkeley Police Relief Association was held last evening, at which the following officers were elected and installed: President, Sergeant Charles L Becker, vice-president, F B Matson, secretary, L. Richardson, treasurer, C T. Winther, sergeant-at-arms, Charles Penning; trustees, Department Sergeant H E. Jamison, Louis Jarette, H. P. Lee.

MISSION SAN JOSE.

MISSION SAN JOSE, Jan 14.—Frank Gomez of San Mateo was visiting with relatives recently.

Mrs Madera went to Oakland on Thursday.

The Misses Madeline and Aileen Frank returned to San Francisco after a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs Ehrman.

Mr and Mrs. Ehrman are spending the week with San Francisco relatives.

Miss Pia Berge has returned to San Francisco.

Mr. Frates has gone to San Rafael after a three weeks' visit with his family.

Mrs. R Enos is home from her visit in Pescadero.

Manuel Telles made a business trip to San Francisco during the week.

Manuel Escobar spent his vacation in Pleasanton with his aunt, Mrs. Goularte.

Mrs. J. Goularte is visiting relatives in San Francisco.

MYSTERY VEILS BORING OF WELL

Richmond in Suspense as to the Identity of Corporation at Work.

RICHMOND, Jan 14.—The curiosity that is being aroused by the mysterious well-boring that is going on upon the tract at Cutting boulevard and the Southern Pacific Railroad intersection, for which an option has been obtained from Dr. P E Levlston of Oakland, remains unabated. The persons who obtained the option are close-mouthed.

The first rumor, which gave temporary satisfaction, was that the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Company was preparing to establish a plant. Next it was said that the Spreckels people, with Claus A. mentioned particularly, were going to erect a sugar refinery.

Another story is that the water company is making tests. Whatever may be the solution, it is thought, because of the size of the tract that some large enterprise is looking for a place to establish.

To Give Second Musical Service

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Tomorrow evening the second in the series of musical services announced by the First Congregational church, will be given. For this program the committee in charge has secured Miss Alice Davies, the talented violinist of Oakland, as the assisting soloist. As a member of the Harmony trio and as a soloist of exceptional ability and temperament, Miss Davies is well known in musical circles around the bay, and in the numbers selected for this program she will be heard to the best advantage.

The chorus choir of the church, which has heretofore only assembled for festival occasions has been permanently organized to prepare special music for these Sunday evening services. The work of this organization is already well known, as it has given a number of notable productions during the past year. "The Holy City," by Gaul, will be the first oratorio of the year and will be presented early in February. This music is under the direction of Mabel Hill-Rodfield.

Following is the program for tomorrow evening:

Organ prelude, Idylle in D flat (Foulkes), chorus, "We Praise Thee" (Kotschmar), violin solo, Nocturne, Op. 9 No 2 (Chopin-Sarasate), tenor solo, "The Lord Is My Light" (Allitsen), quartet, "The Day Is Ended" (Bartlett), baritone solo, "From the Accursed" from Verdi's "Requiem", violin solo, "Traumerei" (Schumann), by special request); organ postlude Marche Nuptiale (Foulkes).

WILL TOUR WORLD.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 14.—Dr Harold W. Fairbanks, formerly a member of the faculty of the University of California and a prominent geographer of the West, accompanied by his wife and daughter, has left Berkeley for a two years' tour of the world. He will seek data for a comprehensive geography of the world for use as a text book in the schools of California.

WOULD REPEAL VACCINATION LAW

Petition for Abolition of Compulsory Act Has Several Thousand Signatures.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—The campaign for the repeal of the state vaccination law is on at Sacramento, and the Anti-Compulsory Vaccination league, of which Samuel Taylor of Berkeley is secretary, has the signatures of several thousand citizens of the state who are opposed to the present law and desire its repeal. Said Taylor today:

"The anti-compulsory vaccination movement has gained much strength throughout the state that nothing short of the repeal of the present law will satisfy the people. They are fighting for a principle and justly claim the right as free American citizens to say what shall and what shall not be injected into their healthy bodies. The present law compels children to submit to the injection of vaccine virus into their system before they are permitted to attend the public schools. Some persons willingly submit, while many who have made the subject a study and have noted the injurious effects produced thereby, rebel and absolutely refuse to submit to vaccination. Therefore, as the situation stands, it is the parents of the school children in the state, on the one hand, fighting to maintain the health and lives of their children, against many of the doctors of the state, on the other hand, who realize a large revenue by the enforcement of the compulsory vaccination law. Many of the prominent physicians of the state, however, are opposed to vaccination, and hundreds of them are opposed to its being made compulsory. Among the petitioners are the names of nearly 200 physicians, many of whom are among the most prominent in the state, who are not only opposed to the law, but have seen the injurious effects of vaccination from years of experience and their testimony has much weight.

"Hundreds of signatures have been received from each of the following named places: East Auburn, Santa Barbara, Watsonville, San Diego, Eureka Marysville, Oakland, San Francisco, San ose, Dinuba, Del Rey, Berkley and many other places, while the signatures from Los Angeles number into the thousands, all asking for the repeal of the compulsory feature of the law.

"Seven physicians from Sacramento have recently sent in their protests, while 200 residents of Santa Barbara have signed a declaration that if compulsory vaccination was enforced they would take their children from the public schools rather than submit. The people who oppose vaccination and believe it harmful have no desire to be arbitrary and prevent those from being vaccinated who believe in its efficacy, but they do maintain that no law should be enacted that will compel a person to submit to the injection of a poison into the system that he believes to be injurious and dangerous and sometimes produces death. It certainly seems that the present legislature will heed the state wide protest and consider the rights of the people rather than the interests of the few who are benefited by and responsible for the existence of the present unjust compulsory law.

CLUB IS TO HOLD SNOWBALL DANCE

Berkeley Organization's Winter Affair Will Be Cold, but Merry.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Lincoln Hall, South Berkeley, will represent a beautiful snow scene next Wednesday evening, January 18, when the Frivolity Social Club will give its snowball dance. The hall will be white with snow and shimmering with frost. A life-sized snow man will reign king of the cold domain, while snow sprites, sleigh bells, snow laden evergreen trees, snowflakes and snowballs will all help to make the evening one to be remembered.

First-class music has been procured for the occasion. Refreshments will be plentiful and a large and merry crowd is assured.

The committee working to make the affair a success is as follows: Will Beatty, chairman, assisted by Mr. and Mrs M. P. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Himes, Miss Gillett Fenn, Miss Stacia McKetchnie Mr. Roher, Mr. Mayen, Miss Verna Himes and Mrs. Hill.

National Department of Health Condemned

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—At a meeting of the board of directors of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, this following resolution was adopted:

"Whereas, This Chamber of Commerce has been requested to approve the proposition to establish a National Department of Health, and after a full investigation we find that the establishment of such a department would be an infringement upon the liberties of the people, would create a radical monopoly in the hands of one school of medicine, would promote the propaganda of fear which has been so industriously and designedly promulgated by the medical trust, and would place the power of government behind a few germ cranks of the political medico type, therefore be it

"Resolved, That we heartily condemn the proposition to establish a National Department of Health, and urge our representatives in Congress to use their best endeavors to prevent such action."

Estudillo Parlor Is to Install Officers

SAN LEANDRO, Jan 14.—Invitations have been sent out by the members of the committee of arrangements of the Estudillo Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West for their first installation of officers which takes place the evening of January 17. The members of the party have made extensive arrangements to entertain their friends until the mystic hour of the Native Sons—12 o'clock, midnight.

The hall has been converted into a veritable fairyland with wreaths and flowers and many streamers of colored ribbons around the wall of the building.

COLLEGIANS TO WED

BERKELEY, Jan. 1.—The engagement of Miss Margaret Dazet, a senior in the college of social sciences, University of California, and Eugene Walter Stoddard of Monterey, senior in the college of civil engineering, was announced by Miss Dazet yesterday. She is a daughter of the late Rev. Edward W. Dazet. The wedding will probably take place in the summer.

URGES BUILDING OF CITY WHARVES

Alameda Booster Club President Believes Large Revenue Could Be Derived.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—The installation of officers and the initiation of new members by the North Side Improvement club last night was one of the events that will go down in the future, not only as the most enjoyable to those who attended, but also from the number of good suggestions made for the improvement of this city. Every line of improvement, subway, electric railroads, tree planting, the extension of the electrolier system, the improvement of the waterfront by the construction of a municipal wharf and in fact every feature that would add to the beauty or value of property was fully gone over by the speakers.

Dr. Tom Carpenter, the new president, acted as toastmaster. The officers of the club presented a silver smoking set to A. Kist, the retiring president, as a token of appreciation for his good work during the past year.

Dr. Carpenter proposed several improvements, among them the construction of a municipal wharf at the foot of Grand street and, what is even more important, he advocated the installation of an electric passenger line along Clement avenue from the east to the west end.

In advocating the municipal wharf and the new electric line Dr Carpenter used arguments showing how the city would gain in population if the improvements could be made.

The other speakers were the following: Mayor W H Noy, Councilman E. B. Bullock, Councilman Frederick Krumb, Alexander Mackie, George Renner, C. A. Borle, F. J. Croll, Oswald Lubbock, F. N. Delanoy, Edward Soules, A. Kist and Carl Rhodin.

Westenbergs Are Given Anniversary Surprise

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—Friends of Mr and Mrs. C. A. Westenberg surprised them on the occasion of their sixteenth wedding anniversary by inviting them to the College-Avenue Methodist church last evening, a large number of church members being there to participate in a celebration entertainment. The guests of honor were presented with a cut-glass pitcher by the congregation.

Westenberg is a trustee of the church and teacher of a Bible class.

He is a former minister of the Methodist church, being now connected with the Chiapas Rubber Company and the United States Dredging Company.

Church Choir Is to Hold Whist Tourney

SAN LEANDRO, Jan 14.—The members of the choir of St. Leander's church of San Leandro are making extensive preparations for their popular whist party, which is to be given the evening of January 27 in St. Joseph's hall. A number of valuable prizes, including several silver sets, have been donated by firms in the town and will be given to the winners of the games. The affair will be in charge of the following committee: Miss Mary Kane, Miss Nell Hannan, Miss Virgie H. Wilson, Miss Lillian Gonsalves, Mayor J. J Gill and Joseph S. Ankes.

Change in Officers by Women of Woodcraft

HAYWARD, Jan 14.—At the regular meeting of the Palma Circle, Women of Woodcraft, held last evening, I. D. Armstrong resigned as clerk and Mrs. G. E Alexander was elected in his stead. Armstrong was in turn elected to act in the capacity of banker, the position which Mrs Alexander has filled for the past several years.

Mrs. A. B Pimental was elected as advisor, the position left vacant at the election last month.

Water Mains to Be Placed in Berkeley

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—The People's Water company will soon commence the laying of a six-inch main in Delaware street from Shattuck avenue to Grove street. This main will replace the domestic main now in use, and will adequately protect the greater portion of the Janes tract against fire. A similar main is to be laid in Ridge road from La Loma avenue to Euclid avenue for the better protection of the residents of the La Loma district.

Evangelist to Tell of "Crouching Evil"

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—The evangelist, Rev A. E. Fitch of Los Angeles, will be the speaker at the men's meeting at the Berkeley Young Men's Christian Association tomorrow afternoon at 3 30 o'clock. Fitch has recently moved to Berkeley after a very successful evangelistic tour in Southern California. He sings as well as plays and will render one or two vocal selections.

The theme of his discourse will be "The Crouching Devil." The meeting is for men only and all are cordially invited to attend.

Poet to Address Students of Fremont

FRUITVALE, Jan 14.—As one who knew personally General John C Fremont, Joaquin Miller, poet and pioneer, will talk to the students of the Fremont High School, Melrose, next Saturday evening.

The address will be prefaced by a musical program, including singing by Miss Zoe Blodgett, soprano Robert H Thomas, baritone, and solo selections by Mrs Alfred Cutler Fay, pianist, and Elwin Arnold, violinist.

The proceeds will be used to purchase a bust of Fremont.

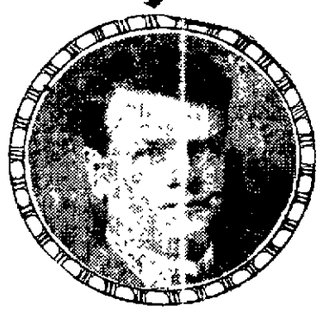
Will Dig Ditch for 24-Inch Main

SAN LEANDRO, Jan 14.—Engineer Todd in charge of the construction work for the Bay Cities Water company reports that despite the heavy rain which has been falling for the past week he will set a force of more than 100 men at work on the large new ditch which is to hold the twenty-four inch main from Roberts Landing artesian wells in through the main streets of the town. Thence the water will be diverted through six and eight inch mains.

RECEIVE PLAYGROUND REPORT.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Commissioner E B Norton has received a booklet from the Oakland Playground commission giving photographic views of many of the playgrounds and much of the apparatus used, as well as other valuable information upon the subject. The book is accompanied by a report which is of considerable value in offering suggestions for the equipment and management of the local grounds.

CITY OFFICIALS ARE TO DISCUSS 'CHRIST AND CITY'



Reading from top to bottom: CHIEF OF POLICE AUGUST VOLLMER and ARTHUR ARLETT, prominent citizens of Berkeley, who will speak at Men's Meeting tonight.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Chief of Police August Vollmer, Commissioner of Public Works W. F. McClure and Arthur Arlett are to talk on the topic of "Christ and the City" at a platform meeting at the College avenue Methodist church tomorrow evening. A W Naylor, president of the First National Bank, will preside.

The unique meeting is to be held under the auspices of the Men's Brotherhood of the church, and is the second of a series of Sunday evening sessions for the discussion of the general theme "Christ and Present Day Problems."

The program is as follows:

Organ prelude, selected, opening sentence, choir, hymn, "In the Cross of Christ," prayer, Dr. S. D Hutchpiller, chorus, "Arm of the Lord, Awake" (Williams), the Psalter for the 16th Sunday evening, the Gloria Patria, tenor solo, "Fear Not Ye, O Israel" (Buck), address, Commissioner of Public Works W. F. McClure; male quartet, "Onward and Upward" (Palmer), address, Chief of Police Vollmer, soprano solo and chorus, "Seek Ye the Lord" (Roberts) address, Arthur Arlett, hymn, "Amerika," benediction; organ postlude, selected.

Police Called Out by Would-be Burglar

ALAMEDA, Jan. 1.—S. Sennet, living at 1524 Bay street this city, in the home of Leo R. Dickie, secretary to William Tevis of the Bay Cities Water company, telephoned to the police last night that a man was trying to open a window and enter the house. Patrolmen McDonnell, Willing and Bettencourt were dispatched to the scene in the police auto, driven by Louis La Chappelle, but after a search were unable to find any trace of the would-be burglar.

Berkeleyans to Greet Visiting Architects

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Four Berkeley architects, Clinton Day, O G Traphagen, W. C. Hays and L. P. Dutton, have been appointed members of a reception committee to meet the eastern delegates to the American Institute of Architects, scheduled to take place at the Fairmont Hotel January 17-19. The committee will go to Port Costa next Monday and there board the special train from Chicago to welcome the visitors.

Claremont Improvers Elect New Officers

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—At a meeting of the Claremont Improvement Club Thursday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George O'Brien; vice-president, Joseph Harrison, secretary, F. R. Turton.

The club has accomplished a great deal during the year in obtaining parks for public use, electric lights for the vicinity, widening of streets and general beautification of the district. Plans are being made to continue its work.

Probation Officer Is to Address Club

HAYWARD, Jan 14.—Probation Officer Christopher Rees will be the principal speaker at the next meeting of the Hill and Valley Club of Hayward, January 16, and will deliver an address on the far-reaching influence of home life. The members of this club have, ever since the movement for better playgrounds started in this state, been interested in the issue and have done much for the betterment of the movement in Hayward.

TWO CHAMPION SHOTS.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—Detectives George Brown and Charles Keyes are the champion revolver shots for December, Brown totaling a score of 128 in two shoots, while Keyes was a close second with a score of 124.

PARK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Henry G. De Witt, D. D., acting pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Divine Worship;" night, "Retributive Justice; or, How Chickens Come Home to Roost." Sunday school at 9:45.

RICHMOND CHOSEN AS FACTORY SITE

Hanford Corporation to Manufacture Scraper in Oil City.

RICHMOND, Jan. 14.—The fact that a Hanford corporation has chosen this city as the site for a factory is one of the straws showing the movement toward erecting manufacturing plants here.

This corporation composed of Hanford citizens, is headed by George W. Garrison and will manufacture a scraper invented and patented by him. From this point the product of the factory can be sent to every part of this state and the world by rail or ship, and oil fuel is inexpensive.

The scraper is provided with two wheels and the bowl works on an axis between them. The operator, instead of walking behind, can ride on the machine and operate it from his seat.

HAYWARD TO HAVE HANDSOME EDIFICE

Four-Story Class-A Structure to Be in Business Center of Town.

HAYWARD, Jan. 14.—Jesse H Woods, one of the most prominent business men of Hayward, has been making arrangements for the past two weeks for the construction of a class A four-story building at the corner of B and Main streets. The building is to be erected on the site now occupied by a two-story frame building and will give the town of Hayward one of the largest buildings in the county.

Veteran Captain of Police Is Summoned

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—John George Knower, formerly a captain of detectives in San Francisco, but retired for a number of years, died at his home at 2109 Buena Vista avenue, this city, this morning, aged 82 years. He was a native of New York but had been a resident of this state since 1850. Deceased had lived in this city for the last five years, moving to this side of the bay when his San Francisco home was destroyed by the fire of 1906.

Knower was a member of Abou Ben Adham lodge, I. O. O. F., of San Francisco. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Sarah W. Knower, and two sons, Frederick J. and Arthur W. Knower.

Ranch Owner Meets With Serious Mishap

LIVERMORE, Jan 14.—While lassooing a steer on his ranch near here, Charles Coldewelth, a wealthy ranch owner, with property both here and in Yolo county, was thrown to the ground from his seat in the saddle on a cow-pony and sustained a broken arm and several severe internal injuries.

SELL MANY STAMPS IN BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, Jan 14.—The sale of Red Cross stamps in this city at the holiday season netted $200 for the national campaign against tuberculosis. Mrs Annie Little Barry of Berkeley was in charge of the sales in Alameda county and her assistants in this city were Miss Rosemary Dobbins, Mrs. Amy Hamlin, Mrs. J. A. D. Hutton, Mrs. L. M. Lasell, Mrs. R. L. Stone, Mrs. S. M. Converse, Mrs. A. N. Ford and Mrs. G. Mack.

TO RESIDE IN BERKELEY.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—Following her departure from the Claremont Country Club on account of a ruling that no guests should remain at the club longer than a fortnight, Mrs. Thomas Harding has taken apartments at Clovne court, in this city. Mrs. Harding is a sister of Mrs. Charles W. Fore of Piedmont and an aunt of Mrs. James K. Moffitt Jr. and of Miss Natalie Fore.

TO DISCUSS TEXT BOOKS.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—A meeting of the McKinley School Parents' Association will be held next Monday evening at the schoolhouse. The subjects for discussion will be the cost of textbooks and the plans for the new school buildings to accommodate the children of the eastern section of the city.

AGED MAN SUCCUMBS.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 14.—Thomas Bird, an aged man, who made his home with Judge Henry T. Morris at 2044 Lincoln avenue for the last ten years, died at the Morris home this morning. As far as is known he had no relatives in this state.

COAT STOLEN FROM LIBRARY.

BERKELEY, Jan. 14.—A. W Hollis, 2107 Hearst avenue, has reported to the police the theft of an overcoat, which was stolen from the cloak room of the public library Thursday evening.

JUDGE'S DECISION GAINS HIM FEAST

Settles Affinity Problem in the Family and Chicken Is Served.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Jacob H Hopkins, judge of the municipal bench, received today an unexpected testimonial to his fitness.

With all the attaches of his court and the policemen of the Hyde Park station he enjoyed a chicken dinner served by Mrs Edward Oliver and her husband, who was fined $10 and costs by the judge four days ago.

When Oliver who was arrested on complaint of his wife, was arraigned in court, his wife pnet accused him of having an affinity. Judge Hopkins fined him $50, but said he would remit the fine at any time Mrs Oliver asked for such action. Mrs. Oliver made the request. Judge Hopkins kept his promise. Then Mrs Oliver invited the court to partake of a chicken dinner, saying she would bring it to the judicial chamber. The invitation was accepted.

Mrs. Oliver and her husband were at the feast. Both declared that they were happier than they had been in many days and that Judge Hopkins was an expert as a mediator in domestic affairs.

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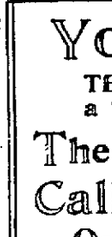

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The Law.—Section 485, Penal Code of California is strict in requiring finders of lost property to seek the owners through advertisement and otherwise, and failure to do so, if it can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

FOUND—On Dec. 28, black and white dog; mostly black with forehead and feet white. 1220 Magnolia st.

FOUND—A lady's gold hunting case watch; initials on cover. Grocery, corner Hopkins and Mabel ave.

LOST or strayed January 11, in Piedmont, Airedale terrier; large size; color, black and tan; bald spot on head; name plate on collar; reward $40. A. A. Moore Jr., Crocker and Union aves., Piedmont, Cal.; phone Piedmont 2015.

LOST—Trunk from wagon, between Santa Fe station and company's office, 9th and Broadway; reward will be paid for information regarding same. Peoples Express Co., 412-418 9th st.

LOST—Gold brooch, large amethyst set in plain gold, about first of year. Return to Ashby Hardware Co., Berkeley, and receive reward.

LOST—Gordon setter dog. Please return 1569 18th ave. and receive reward, or phone Merritt 628.

LOST—Lady's dark enamel brooch with 3 pearls and a stone. Reward if returned to 1029 Linden st.

LOST—Gold-handled umbrella; initials "M. F., 1904"; in Key Route; reward. 1068 43d.

MIXED brown cat, lame in hind leg; reward if returned. 402 Hudson st., Oakland.

STRAYED from residence of J. H. Mack, 1059 18th st., a young parrot. Party finding same, by returning to above address will receive suitable reward.

THE gentleman who was seen picking up a gold watch on Broadway in front of Post Office please return to 1381 Broadway (Dalamothe studio) and avoide trouble.

WATCH found in December; owner can have same by proving property. Apply Mr. Wheeler, care of C. J. Heckman, Oakland.

TAILORS

EASTERN TAILORING CO.—Best men tailors in Oakland. 512 Telegraph ave.

MEETING NOTICES

REV. S. RUBBIN arrived from Spokane; he will deliver a lecture in the synagogue, "The Congregation Beth Abraham," on Harrison st., bet. 4th and 5th Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

THE Spiritual Aid Society meets at Lorin Hall today at 7:45 p. m. Mrs. Place will lecture. Madames Smith, Loewen and Morrow will give messages.

PERSONALS

A merchant would not think a woman very wise if she purchased a yard less silk for a gown than she needed—even if it were very fine silk. Nor is the merchant wise to purchase a column less advertising space than he needs, even if it is very fine advertising space—and costly.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call or write the matron of The Salvation Army Home, Beulah Heights, Cal.; phone Merritt 3527.

A GENTLEMAN, 60 years of age, wishes to meet a lady between 50 and 60, object matrimony. Box B-880, Tribune.

BACHELOR girl, 35, comfortable, would marry. G., box 26, League, Toledo, Ohio.

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CLAIRVOYANT—FREE—Send birth date, three questions, stamp, dime for book, "The Sphinx"; reading sent free; past, present, future revealed. Madam Mispah, 2040 Welton, Denver, Colo.

GET MARRIED—Matrimonial paper containing advertisements marriageable people from all sections of the United States, Canada; rich, poor, young, old Protestants, Catholics, mailed sealed free. H. B. Gunnels, Toledo, Ohio.

CAS Consumers' Association reduces your bill 15% to 30%. 358 12th st.

HEIRS wanted at once; 50,000 estates seeking claimants; you may be one; facts in booklet 31; send 2c stamp. International Claim Agency, Pittsburg, Pa.

LADIES—When delayed or irregular use Triumph Pills; always dependable; "Relief" and particulars free. Write National Medical Institute, Milwaukee, Wis.

L. S. CLARK, Attorney-at-Law, 551 Jackson st.—Consultation free; open evenings.

MARRIAGE paper, containing descriptions refined marriageable people, many with means; paper sealed, free. Mrs. Bell, 1815 Magnolia ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

MIDDLEAGED woman, good housekeeper, lonely, would meet intelligent American gentleman with home and moderate income. Box 2892, Tribune.

MME. STANLEY, Palmist-clairvoyant, has removed to 72 San Pablo, cor. 16th.

MME. DE SALONIKA, clairvoyant, card reader; 25c, 50c. 817 Clay st.

MASSAGE treatment. 469½ 9th st., room 16; Kittie Haskell.

REWARD for information as to whereabouts of Miss Eunice Glatz; worked in bakery on Washington st., lived on 7th st., Oakland. Thomas Sibley, General Delivery, San Francisco, or Box 2822, Tribune.

WANTED—PARTIES TO SHIP THEIR HOUSEHOLD GOODS TO LOS ANGELES WITH ME; HAVE WHOLE CAR. PHONE MERRITT 3560.

10c FOR 50c TRIAL SIZE MAL-KAO. Cures itch and all skin diseases. Mal-Kao Remedy Co., 1310 Grove st.

HELP WANTED—MALE

ASSISTANT to manager in credit department; must know bookkeeping and stenography; splendid opportunity for hard-working, intelligent man; moderate salary to start. Box 2809, Tribune.

Barbers Attention!

A good chance for barbers desiring to open shop; on account of lack of space we are sacrificing a large line of first-class second-hand hydraulic chairs, also wash stands, etc., at very little money; investigate. We are agents for the celebrated Barker chairs, which we sell on easy terms.

Western Barber Supply Company

503 7th st., Oakland.

BIG profits, open a dyeing and cleaning establishment; very little capital needed. We tell you how; booklett free. Ben-Vonde System, Dept. 190 Staunton, Va.

EXPERIENCED housecleaners for large rooming house; man and wife preferred. Call 818 Broadway this morning.

GOOD live man to invest $75 and take charge of a department. Call Monday morning. United Realty Company, 1110 Clay street, Oakland, Cal.

HALF interest in paying business for hustler who is footloose and able to invest $200. Box B-738, Tribune.

MEN wanted, age 18-25, for firemen, $100 monthly, and brakemen, $80, on nearby railroads; experience unnecessary; no strike; positions guaranteed competent men; promotion; railroad employing headquarters; over 500 men sent to positions monthly; state age; send stamp. Railway Association, care Tribune.

MEN and women wanted to feed Manhattan Stock Poultry Food, Red Ball brand.

WANTED—Grocery delivery clerk. Apply Sunday from 10 to 12 at Hauchs, 1421 Park st., Alameda.

WANTED—Boy with P. & P. drug store, Dimond; phone Merritt 737.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

A GIRL for a sister team; one that can sing and dance. Apply 567 50th st., Oakland.

APPRENTICE wanted at Cosgrave's hair store, 2313 Telegraph ave., Berkeley.

CHILDS nurse, $25; nurse girl, $20; general housework girls, $40, $35 and $30; nice places; no washing. The Success, 1004 Broadway, Room 16.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson's Employment Agency, 1256 Broadway; phones Oakland 1945, A 5664.

CHAMBERMAID wanted at Atlantic Hotel. 956 Franklin st.

EXPERIENCED lady presser; good salary, good position. John F. Snow Co. Dye Works, 47th and Grove, Oakland.

GOOD reliable girl for housework and assist in care of two children; one sleeping home preferred. Call 711 Santa Clara ave.; Oakland ave. car.

GOOD, reliable young girl to assist with light housework and two children; good home, $20 per month. 770 E. 12th st.

GIRL wanted as window demonstrator. Apply Monday morning, 9-12, Wisbart's Pharmacy, 10th and Washington sts.

GIRL wanted for cooking and general housework; reference required; wages $35. Phone Berkeley 1760.

GOOD cook, general housework, also child's nurse; reference; Fruitvale. Phone Merritt 1548.

GIRL for light general housework. Call 269 Santa Clara ave., Oakland; Oakland 5620.

GIRL for general housework. 549 54th st., Oakland; phone Piedmont 321.

GIRL for cooking and general house work. 705 Santa Clara ave., Oakland.

GOOD girl for general housework; $25-$30. 6437 Regent st.

GIRL for light housework. 491 44th st.

LADIES, learn hairdressing at California College of Hairdressing and Beauty Culture; diplomas and formulas given; individual instruction. 967½ Market st., bet. 5th and 6th, San Francisco.

TWO COOKS, $40; housekeeper for the country, $20; waitresses, chambermaids, practical nurses. Woman's Employment Exchange, 1256 Broadway; phone A-4959, Oakland 5626.

That day is now!

Shortly after his election to the Presidency Theodore Roosevelt visited Oakland. In a letter written in Oakland at that time to a friend in Washington, he said: "Oakland is a city, just across the bay from San Francisco, where one finds the soft air of Italy and the beauty of English villages combined with a spirit of Western Progress and commercial advantages which will some day, as far as I am able to judge from my limited investigations, make it the greatest railroad terminal on the Pacific Coast." That time is now.

BESIDES the remarkable investment and ideal home opportunities to be had in bustling, beautiful Oakland, this city, with its perfect public school system, including elementary, grammar and high schools, offers educational advantages second to none. Oakland is also noted for its many colleges—technical, business and professional. Adjoining Oakland is the University of California, the second largest in the United States. Write for souvenir book of views, free.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

GIRL to do housework. 584 27th street, Oakland.

WANTED—To the woman called upon to become the bread winner we can offer an opportunity in womanly work. Apply by mail, Oakland Wiavi Co., 322 Central Bank Building.

WANTED—A girl for general housework in a family of three. Apply to Mrs. K. B. Putnam, 2051 Buena Vista ave., Alameda.

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper with knowledge of stenography and typewriting, for retail store. Box B-786, Tribune.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; 3 in family; good home; $25 or $30. 1585 LeRoy ave.; phone Berkeley 601.

WANTED—Japanese woman, cook and general housework; references. Call 504 Peralta Apts., evenings.

WANTED—Young woman for general housework; good cook. 651 Chetwood; phone Piedmont 735.

WANTED—Girl to work in assembling room. Baender Vacuum Cleaner Co., 862 Market st.

WANTED—Girl for cooking and general housework. 3083 Harper st.; phone Berkeley 2966.

WANTED—Hairdresser at Cosgrave's hair store. 2313 Telegraph ave., Berkeley.

WANTED—Girl for cooking and housework; references. 1874 Valdez st., near 24th.

WHITE or colored girl; assist housework, plain cooking; no washing. 1627 Grove.

WANTED—Waitress in small restaurant. 4922 Telegraph ave.

YOUNG girl wanted to assist with baby and light housework; good home and pay. 1936 Magnolia, near 28th st.

YOUNG girl, assist housework, 2 in family; sleep home. 636 30th st., near Grove.

YOUNG girl, assist housework; 4 adults; sleep home. 2408 Bancroft, Berkeley.

YOUNG lady who understands ornamental design. Box 4223, Tribune.

$2.50 PER DAY paid to one lady in each town to distribute free circulars and take orders for concentrated flavoring in tubes; permanent position. J. S. Zeigler Co., Chicago.

2-5 DAILY, healthy, bright, married woman to be useful to lady; no housework; not over 40 years, references required. Box 2848, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

A SALESMAN, age 23, speaking six languages, wishes position. Apply 812 10th st., Oakland.

A JAPANESE cook wants a position, $8 a week up. 904 Webster st.; phone Oakland 4327.

BRIGHT, clean cut young married man, 29, wants position; good salesman, retail clerk, route driver or anything requiring the services of an A1 hustler. Larkin, 1616 9th ave.

BOOKKEEPING and all arrears will be led out very reasonably by an experienced bookkeeper. Elwits, 2707 Persimmon st.

CARPENTER—Handy man, does rough carpentering, painting, builds fences, chicken corrals, sheds, repairs roofs; rapid; reasonable work. Carpenter; phone Piedmont 3246.

CHAUFFEUR, careful driver and skilled machinist, with five years' experience, wants position with private family; single, age 30; reference. Box 4209, Tribune.

CHAUFFEUR—Position wanted by competent driver and repairman delivery or private work; references. G. L. Weisshaar, 1641 Bay st., Alameda.

COOK wants place in boarding house or hotel; good at meat and pastry. Address by mail, H. E., Beulah Park, Cal.; phone Merritt 2878.

CARPENTER wants work, $2.50 to $3 a day, or job. E. C. Venn, 957 8th st.; phone Oakland 3693.

CARPENTER wants work, day or job; furniture repairing. 1078 E. 28d st., near 23d ave.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer wishes small sets of books; services reasonable. Box B-882, Tribune.

FOREMAN, carpenter; quick and reliable, good draughtsman; references; give me a trial. Box 785, Tribune.

FOR reliable Chinese or Japanese help, phone Oakland 4926 or A 5538.

HOUSE painting, tinting, papering; good work. Berkeley 4550, Home H-6805.

JAPANESE school boy wants position in Oakland; good cook; going to school. Henry Ishi, 260 8th st., Oakland.

JAPANESE cook wants situation, hotel or boarding house, city or country. Box 2818, Tribune.

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MARRIED man wants position as fireman or handy man; hotel, hospital. Box 4202, Tribune.

NOTICE LAUNDRIES—First class washer engineer seeks position city or country; sober; married. C. H. Miller, general delivery, Oakland.

WANTED—By trustworthy young man, a place to work while attending school. Address 306 12th st., or phone Oakland 3468.

YOUNG man wishes place to work for room and board while attending college. Address 306 12th st.; phone Oakland 3468.

YOUNG Japanese boy as houseworker and girls as school girls, wishes position in families. Phone Piedmont 555.

YOUNG Japanese boy wants position doing housework. 3761 Broadway; phone Piedmont 704; Frank S. Ide.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE

A COMPETENT Finnish woman wishes position; good cook and housekeeper; many years' experience; best of references; wages $40. 6616 Manila st., South Berkeley; Grove st. car to Fairview.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

A RELIABLE woman wishes a situation at cooking and housework; will help care for child; no washing; good references. Please address S. Stella, 1763 Grove.

A POSITION as companion to elderly or invalid gentleman or lady by woman, competent and refined; will sew and assist generally. Box 2829, Tribune.

A WILLING woman wants work by the day or hour, or will take washing home. 1230 Magnolia st., in rear, near 16th st.; Phone A-2307.

AMERICAN lady wants work as housekeeper, or chamber work. Call bet. 2 and 4, 1067 Alice st., room 1.

A YOUNG woman wishes position, housework and plain cooking; small family; references. 503 E. 33d st.

A LADY wishes general housework by the day; $1.75 and car fare. Apply room 26, 524 13th st.

AAA—COMPETENT woman wishes position as child's nurse; references. Box 2853, Tribune.

A COMPETENT Swedish laundress wants work by day, $2 and car fare. 840 59th st.

COLLEGE girl, foreigner, wants position as nursery governess or companion, forenoons; specialties, French, music. 1837 Henry st., Berkeley.

COMPETENT cooks, general housework girls and reliable women for day work. The Success, 100 Broadway; phone Oakland 737.

COMPETENT American woman white, woman wishes work by the day in East Berkeley and Claremont. Phone Oak. 3369, or A-4959.

COMPETENT American white woman wishes 8 hours' work in Piedmont every Wednesday. Phone Oak. 8359, or A-4959.

COMPETENT woman wants situation, housework and cooking. 1300 7th st.; home phone A-1840.

COMPETENT German woman wishes position for cooking and housework. Box 4217, Tribune.

COLORED lady would like position as chambermaid or light housework. 734 Henry st.

COLORED girl for main cooking or general housework. Phone Home A-2611.

DRESSMAKER wishes engagements for day in families; evening gowns; alterations; remodeling a specialty. Oak. 7658.

DRESSMAKER will sew in family, $1.25 per day. 816 Harrison st.

EXPERIENCED nurse wishes a few more engagements in confinement cases; willing to do the washing and housework; references; terms moderate. Box 4219, Tribune.

EXPERIENCED nurse desires position; care of invalid or elderly person; terms reasonable; specialist in confinement. Address nurse, care of 1059 Castro st.

EXPERIENCED saleslady wants position; suits and coats or millinery preferred; refs. Address P. D. Box 563, Oakland.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wants a few more good customers; will guarantee satisfaction. $15 2d st.

EXPERIENCED young lady wishes to attend office; $5 week. Oakland 4486.

FIRST CLASS dressmaker by day; good reference. Call Sunday or evenings, phone Oakland 883.

FAMILY washing done reasonably at 966 West st.; phone A-3782.

FOR reliable colored help phone Oakland 4926 or A 5538.

GERMAN middle-aged woman, reliable, temperate, adults only, no washing, $15; object, good home, light housework; car fare. 760 11th st.

GERMAN woman with 4-year-old boy desires position in small private family as housekeeper; good cook. Box B-841, Tribune.

GIRL wants general housework, private family, mornings and evenings; small wages; in East Oakland. 1427 E. 12th ave.

GIRL wants to assist with couple; $4 per week. 728 33d st. East Oakland.

GOOD girl, 16, wishes to do housework; $18. Phone B-1522.

LAUNDRY; wool and silk a specialty; mending free. 628 57th st.; phone A 1689.

LADY wants chamber work in rooming house. Phone Elmhurst 909.

LAUNDRY by the day, $2. Box 2816, Tribune.

MIDDLE-AGED lady, light housework, 2 adults; good cook; no washing; salary $25 to $20. 608½ 9th st.

REFINED woman with 7-year-old daughter wants place as housekeeper in private home, or manager of apartment house; competent and economical manager; best of references. 652 Oak st., San Francisco.

SWEDISH girl wishes position as general housework in small family. 1441 Myrtle st.

WIDOW with experience would take charge of rooming house, Oakland or San Francisco; references furnished. Box 2900, Tribune.

WANTED—Housekeeping rooms in exchange for light service. Box B-876, Tribune.

WOMAN wants work, plain cooking; go home nights. 1057 Alice st., room 1.

WOMAN wants work by day; wages reasonable. 811 Washington st.

YOUNG lady wants half day's work daily; bookkeeping, billing, assistant in office; very reasonable. Phone Oakland 6930.

YOUNG woman desires position to assist with housework; references. Box 2895, Tribune.

YOUNG Japanese girl wants position as plain cook. 567 18th st.; phone Oakland 1383.

YOUNG girl 16 wants to assist light housework $15. Box 4218, Tribune.

AGENTS WANTED

ATTENTION—$1000 reward paid any one that fails to merge one pint of milk into one pound of butter in two minutes with our new patent machine; weighs six pounds, sells for $5.00; write for illustrated circulars, credit terms, sworn testimonials and agents' prices. Family Butter Merger Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

AGENTS—Improved specialty for automobile owners; quick seller; big profits; illustrated booklets. Write today, Sullivan Specialty Co., 645 Wall st., Los Angeles, Cal.

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AGENTS! DEALERS! — Greatest seller ever produced; no nicotine pipe; 100 per cent profit; sample 10c. Barrett, 204 E. 118th st., New York.

CHEWING GUM—Sell our new brands to dealers in your town; we also make special private brands; also Premium and Machine Gums. Helmet Gum Factory, Cincinnati.

WANTED—Hustlers everywhere, $5 to $25 daily; success assured; new plan; experience unnecessary; free particulars. David Supply Company, Dept. K-7, Box 1207, Billings, Mont.

SALESMEN—SOLICITORS

SALESMAN wanted, not over 30 years of age; salary; must furnish $250 cash bond; give references and phone number. Box 2898, Tribune.

WANTED—Salesman of ability and neat appearance to call on all merchants in their territory; elegant side line, convenient to carry; good commissions; prompt remittance. A-5, Belmont Mfg. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

WANTED—Two salesmen; clean, good workers; good pay; best thing on coast. 600 14th st., cor. of Jefferson.

BUSINESS CHANCES

A REAL ESTATE business and manufacturing partnership, also hydroplane invention; great chances. Call 486 5th st.

BOWLING ALLEYS and poolroom, $1000; will sell or exchange for good cigar stand. Inquire C. A. Gibson, E. 14th and 69th ave., Oakland.

BRANCH bakery, candy and ice cream parlor; first-class location for delicatessen or coffee parlor. 1268 5th ave., near 18th st., East Oakland.

CRUDE OIL burner for stoves and ranges, 80 per cent cheaper than coal; will sell manufacturing or territory rights; agents and promoters wanted; call and see them demonstrated. Jas. E. Haggerty, 1795 Broadway, Oakland.

CONFECTIONERY, grocery and fruit business on splendid transfer corner; must sell at once on account of sickness. Phone Merritt 1656; Box 2879, Tribune.

DO you want a first-class grocery, well located, store never been opened, stock at 90c? Must make quick sale. Call 1470 7th st., Oakland.

EXPERIENCED accountant can secure position with responsible Oakland corporation by secured investment of a few thousand dollars. Box B-740, Tribune.

FOR business opportunities, grocery stores, hotels, rooming-houses, restaurants, etc., choice locations; no charge for listing. Mackin, room 9, 1219 Broadway; phone A 4055.

FOR SALE—Business of high-class specialty made in Oakland; small money required; good proposition for live man. Box 4207, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Cash grocery and notion store, doing good business. 549 Park ave.

FOR SALE—Restaurant, good location; 5 years' lease. 843 Washington st.

GROCERY and delicatessen; fine corner location; will invoice $600; price $450; must sell at once. Box 4211, Tribune.

GOOD-PAYING restaurant at a bargain at Key Route station. 672 22d st.

MAKE $900 a year in your yard; requires only a few minutes' attention each day; small amount of cash required; will stand investigation. Theo. M. Howell, 429 First National Bank Bldg.; phone Oakland 2663.

ONE-ROOM building for store or office, with a flat of 3 small rooms, furnished. 216 11th st., opp. Lincoln school.

ONE-HALF interest in good real estate, cheap; want partner. Phone Home H-6865.

PARTNER wanted for manufacturing business; only one on coast; large money-making; man must be willing to work; $150 to $200 clear profit each month. 304 12th st., cor. Folsom, San Francisco.

PAYING grocery business for about $2000 in well populated district; give location. Box 4204, Tribune.

STAND for rent; excellent location for cigars, fruit or confectionery; next door to S. P. ticket office; trains every ten minutes; see for yourself. Call 1904 7th st.; phone A 1570.

To the Man

WHO will handle this properly the chance of a lifetime; fine 48-room apartment house, elegantly furnished; lease and furniture for sale; modern elevator; steam heat; central; price $5400; $3000 will handle, balance $100 per month; absolutely cleared $256 last month; responsible parties only. Box 6770, Tribune.

WANTED—Trustworthy, competent man with $5000 cash, for permanent local store, both wholesale and retail, in well-known staple line; $200 a month and all expenses and liberal share of profits; large well-known house, established many years, offers excellent opening for steady man; favorable investment, high-class business; right man should make $6000 a year or better; large future prospects; references required. For particulars address Box 3, care Nelson Chesman & Co., St. Louis, Mo.

W. L. Mitchener & Co.

233 Bacon Block—Oakland 8188.

$350—Grocery, bakery, delicatessen.
$450—Cigar store; paying stand.
$500—Grocery and fruit stand; snap.
$700—Splendid restaurant; seats 70.
$900—Cigar store; bargain; corner.
$1,000—Big bargain in restaurant.
$1800—Theater; money-maker.
Country hotel and bar at a bargain.

WANTED—A lady partner with $150, by a professional man, to go into the palmistry and astrology business; good prospects; will teach business. Box 2806, Tribune.

$25 WEEKLY and house rent free; want steady man as partner to take charge of chicken ranch; will stock to 2500 chickens and sell half interest for $500 cash; state age and if married or single and give former occupation. Address box 4212, Tribune.

INVESTMENTS

INVEST any amount; profits large; money returns this year. Box 2812, Tribune.

1200 SHARES Purissima Hills oil stock, 25 cts.; 1000 Burks oil, 27 cts.; 10 shares California Pine Box and Lumber Co., 6% stock, offer wanted. La Zacsalpa rubber stock. Box 2910, Tribune.

AUTOMOBILES

A BARGAIN

1908 7-passenger, fully equipped, Royal Tourist, in absolutely first-class condition. Equipment includes top, Prest-o-lite gas tank, brand new Firestone Demountable tires and rims, extra tires and tubes and complete tool equipment. Must sell at once; will take $1500 cash. Apply to B. A. Foxterer, 890 Walker ave., Oakland.

AUTO car runabout, good shape; tires new; $350 or exchange. 221 Lawton ave., near Hudson st.

FOR SALE—45 H. P. Rambler; 1910; fully equipped; in perfect condition; like new; $1875 cash. Phone Alameda 1543, or Oak. 2841.

FOR SALE—Cheap; second-hand Reo 4-passenger car. Apply 5th and Adeline.

MITCHELL touring car; good condition; $290, $75 cash, $40 per month. F. R. Fageol, 37th and Telegraph ave.

SIX-CYLINDER Winton, good condition; cheap. F. R. Fageol, 37th and Tel. ave.

WANTED—A 30-HP. runabout in first-class condition; state make, model and lowest cash price; also where it can be seen. Box 4215, Tribune.

$800 lot in Elmhurst; level; good location; trade for 4-cylinder automobile. Box B-879, Tribune.

ARCHITECTS

T. CATHER NEWSOM, architect, has removed to 549 Monadnock Bldg., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

IF quality and prices are right, then why not patronize home industry? Wall Safe and Lock Co., 5th and Chestnut sts., Oakland; also salesroom 233 California st., S. F.; phones Oakland 7473, Kearny 7067.

ALL NEW—640 folding chairs intended for a S. F. show house, now on sale at H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st.; the furniture dealer. Send 75c for a sample. Oakland.

AA—CHOICE pedigreed cocker spaniel puppies, all colors; reasonable; male or female. Dennison Kennels, 819 13th st.

AA—MEN'S, ladies' children's clothing bought and sold. Mrs. Evans, 518 8th st.; phones Oakland 2519, A 2046.

A—FAT MAN'S STORE—Large sizes in shirts and underwear. 1234 Broadway.

A FINE York fox terrier bitch. Kane's Livery Stable, 1656 Grove st.

BUFF COCHIN PULLETS; fine lot Houdans; four second-hand incubators and several brooders. Stansfield, 3301 E 14th, Fruitvale.

BARGAIN—Perfect blue-white diamond, 4 karat or over, worth $1000, must be sold immediately for $650. Box B-787, Tribune.

BIG 6 sox; 6 pair wear 6 months; $1. Litholin waterproof linen collars, 25c. Tom Ronald, 1234 Broadway.

BULLTERRIER pups, males, thoroughbreds, $5 each. Room 2, 1018 Washington st.

COLT auto, 32-cal., 50 cart., never used, $10; Winchester auto. rifle, 25-cal., 500 cart., $10; Eastman kodak, plate and film 5x7, value $40 new, $20; field glasses, $5, value $10; baby set hammock, $1. 371 13th st., room 322.

CHRISTMAS bicycles and motorcycles from $20 up; accessories of all kinds. F. M. Jones, the bicycle man, 204 Telegraph ave., near 13th st.; Al Meyer, Mgr.; open evenings for the holidays.

CHEAP, nice baby carriage, go-cart, wicker; good condition. Box B-877, Tribune.

DAY OLD CHICKS—We are now booking orders; 25 white Leghorn chicks and fireless brooder, $7.75; 50 white Leghorn chicks and fireless brooder, $7.75; white Leghorn chicks without brooder, $10 per 100; 25 white Rock chicks and brooder, $7.25; 50 white Rock chicks and brooder, $12.75; white Rock chicks without brooder, $20 per 100; a deposit requred on all orders. Las Plumas Poultry Ranch, San Leandro, Cal.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Newfoundland male pup; parents' kennel club registered; will take $25. Phone Piedmont 2102.

FINE lot of female roller canaries for breeding; cheap if taken at once. 1522 Franklin st; phone Oakland 6486.

FOR SALE—Irish terriers, 10 months old. W. P. Cougley, 45 Maybelle ave.

FOR SALE—Canary birds; fine singers. 675 45th st., west of Grove.

GENT'S wheel, 2 doz. folding chairs, large trunk; sale or trade. 614 Telegraph; Oak 7548.

HATCH EGGS—C. S. White Leghorns or Black Minorcas thoroughbreds, $1.50 and $2 for 15 eggs. Co-operative Meat Co., 325 12th st.

HATCHING eggs from Indian runner ducks. Phone Berkeley 4101.

NATIONAL cash registers, almost new, at one-third of company prices; save your money; counters, coffee mill, large line of showcases at remarkably low prices. See the Oakland Auction Co., 359-361 13th st., near Franklin.

NO. 7 cook stove, wood baker; two cane-seated chairs, and good bedding, 1604 Seminary ave., one block east of E. 14th street.

OAK, POUND, 28th and Peralta; hunting, house dogs. Phones Oakland 893, A 1028.

PAINTER'S tools, falls, extension ladders, trusses, etc.; cheap. 1460 50th ave., Melrose.

SECOND-HAND lumber, doors, windows and firewood, also 5-room cottage, at a bargain, to be removed. Corner 9th and Franklin.

SECOND-HAND lumber, doors, windows, toilets, sinks, wash basins, corrugated iron and brick. Fortin, 14th and Washington st.

SMITH PREMIER typewriter, cheap; good condition; call mornings. 1316 Mulberry st., Alameda.

SEVEN Plymouth Rocks pullets, one cockerel, $8, at 2023 Channing way, Berkeley.

SINGLE action hemp; will sell cheap. Box 4206, Tribune.

TOY poodles, males, price $20. Phone Merritt 1378.

WHITE ORPINGTONS and Barred Rock eggs and roosters for sale. 234 Locksley ave., off Hudson. Oakland; College car.

WHITE S. C. Leghorn eggs for hatching; finest breed, best layers; 15 eggs for $1. 1717 Ward st., Berkeley.

25-FOOT MOTOR BOAT.

The best boat and engine outfit ever offered for $275; mahogany finish, polished brass fittings, automatic reverse, copper gasoline tank. Write now for descriptive booklet; sales agents wanted. Rice Brothers Company, dept. P., East Boothbay, Maine.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A—Highest Price

GOOD cast-off clothing and shoes. Ring up Oakland 679, or write; will call at once. Uncle Jake, 834 Washington.

AAA—ALL kinds of second-hand clothing bought and sold. J. Muller, 530 8th st.; phones Oakland 6457, A 3084.

BEFORE selling your furniture see Berger, 326 San Pablo; phone Home A-4179. Highest prices paid on household goods.

DON'T sell your household goods until you see J. Coleman, 412 11th st., where you will realize more for it. Phone Oakland 3268.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get elsewhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1007 Clay st., Oakland, phone Oakland 4671; 911 Phelan Bldg., S. F., phone Douglas 641.

IF you must have the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., call up Oakland Auction Co., Meysel & Meysel, auctioneers; they will pay you the cash or sell on commission. 359-363 13th st., near Franklin; phones Oakland 4479, Home A-4479.

WANTED—Some plumbing work in exchange for 20 acres fruit or alfalfa land. See Dixon, 958 Broadway, room 24.

WANTED—Victor Talking machine; must be in good condition and cheap for cash. Tribune, Box 4229.

500 TO 1000 lbs. tea lead or good clean pipe cuttings wanted. Tribune office, 8th and Franklin sts.

MOVING AND STORAGE

AAA—PEOPLE'S EXPRESS CO.—The best teams and service in the city; large, well-padded vans; furniture moved, packed, store or shipped. 415-418 9th st.; phones Oak. 4447, A 2144.

BEKINS

OF COURSE.
1070 Broadway, near 12th st.

COOK-MORGAN Storing and Moving Co. —Furniture, pianos, merchandise, packing and shipping. Office, 503 14th st.; phone Oakland 8235.

LYON STORAGE AND MOVING CO.—Packing and shipping. 437 14th st.; phones Oakland 2071; Home A-2871.

PRESCOTT Van and Storage Co.—Separate compartment; hauling free. Office, 1115 23d ave; Merritt 482, B 1144.

PRICES reduced separate rooms, under lock. Porter, 1 14 Broadway; Oak. 1990.

HOUSE MOVERS

H. R. HENDERSON—Raising, shoring, moving; buildings bought and sold. 481 22d st.; phone Pied. 269, Home 5158.

STENOGRAPHERS

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PUBLIC ST

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

5-ROOM cottage, furnished, in No 1 condition, chicken houses, yard and berry vines, on 20th ave., 1 minute walk from 14th st. cars and 5 minutes to Bather station; rent reasonable. Owner at 904 Adeline st.; phone Oakland 5851.

A FINELY furnished house, 9 rooms, bath and laundry; garden and playgrounds; 10 minutes' ride to three local trains; must be seen to be appreciated. Box 2870, Tribune.

AN elegantly furnished house, 6 rooms and bath, hardwood dancing hall, for rent; reduced to $45; near Key Route and cars. 4155 Terrace, phone Piedmont 5362.

ALAMEDA cottage; 2 Pease ave.; key there; water free; piano; $15; snap.

ALAMEDA cottage; 2 Pease ave.; key there; water free; piano.

FURNISHED cottage 2 rooms and bath; near cars and Key Route; $17.50. Kreekholm Court, 623 49th st.

FOR RENT—12-room house, partly furnished; one acre fruit trees; rent $40. Box 24, San Leandro.

FURNISHED house of 9 rooms, near 2d st.; references required. Phone Berkeley 252.

HOUSE, 3 rooms, gas, electricity, yard, $16. 807 E. 15th, near 21st st.

NICE modern 5-room cottage completely furnished, piano, splendid healthy location, only $24. 682 E. 27th st.

NICELY furnished 3-room bungalow, 118. Inquire 5726 Telegraph ave., opposite Idora Park.

SUNNY, modern, upper flat, 5 rooms and bath; home-like, nicely furnished; rent reasonable to desirable tenant without children. 1657 Filbert st.

SUNNY 6 room furnished cottage; with piano; apply New England Kitchen; opposite main entrance of Race Track, Emeryville.

SEVEN rooms, elegantly furnished; piano; leather paneled living-room; near Piedmont station. Phone Piedmont 4878.

SUNNY 6-room house on 18th st., near Market; modern; piano; Phone Oakland 4545.

UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

FOR RENT.

Modern 9 room house, with chicken yard, fruit and flowers, near car, $15.
STERNBERG-KEITH CO.,
406 Thirteenth St., Oakland, Cal.

FOR RENT—$18.50, cosy, well built 5-room cottage with nice garden; 3216 Central ave., Alameda; phone Ala. 410. Key at 3214 Central ave.

FOR RENT—6-room cottage, modern; 1076 56th st. Phone owner, Oakland 2195.

FOR RENT—Small house and barn; $10; 868 Boyd ave. Owner, 289 Claremont.

House, barn, shed for automobile. 672 26th st.

MODERN 7-room 2-story house in choice resident section of East Oakland; on car line; will rent reasonable to right parties. 467 E. 24th; phone Merritt 3113.

SUNNY cottage of six rooms, bath; 948 86th st.; in good order; reasonable to good party. Key, 947 86th st.

SUNNY modern bungalow, 4 rooms and bath; good yard. 555 Haight ave., near Webster, Alameda.

$25—9-ROOM house; choice location on 10th ave., near Franklin school and car lines. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th st.

$25—SIX-ROOM sunny cottage in fine order on 10th ave., close to school and car lines. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th st.

447 MOSS ave.—Fine 5-room house, modern, 2 toilets, rent $30, including water. Phone Piedmont 831 for further information.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

A FURNISHED 6-room upper flat, heat and sunny; short or long lease; take 16th st car to Brush. 480 19th, cor. Brush.

ATTRACTIVE 5-room flat, handsomely furnished, reasonable. 1251 9th ave., corner E 15th st.

SUNNY upper or lower flat of 4 or 5 rooms, complete for housekeeping; central; adults. 720 17th st.

THREE-ROOM upper flat, furnished, for rent, $20. 715½ 11th st.

UNFURNISHED FLATS TO LET

AAA—MODERN flat, 5 rooms and bath; separate entrance; $25; key on premises. 487½ 37th st., near Telegraph.

Flat For Rent

Six rooms, modern in every respect; rent very reasonable; good location; a few minutes' walk from 14th and Broadway. Apply 1008 14th st.

FINE modern upper flat, 7 rooms and bath; garage. 909 Grove st.

MODERN 5-room flat, bath, laundry. 646 37th st.; phone Oakland 6470.

NICE upper flat, northeast corner Vicente and Miranda sts.; 5 rooms, electricity, gas, fine lawn, fruit trees; block from Claremont Key Route; block to Idora Park; $17.50. 6756 Vicente st.

NEW, exceptionally fine upper flat; gas, electricity. 681 30th st., at Grove; phone Oakland 5403.

SIX-ROOM sunny flat; all modern and up to date; 4 blocks from city hall. 719 17th st., between Castro and Brush. Apply 715 17th st.

SUNNY upper flat, three rooms and bath; near Broadway and Key Route station. 468 22d st.

$20—4-ROOM modern upper corner flat, on high ground, on 8th ave. car line; beautiful view; sun all day. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th st.

$18—UPPER 4-room flat, on 5th ave., near car line and car barns; all in fine order. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th st.

$30—UPPER 7-room flat in fine order on 9th ave.; sunny; near three car lines. B. H. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

At The Anwa

Just built; absolutely up-to-date; electricity, hot water, phone and call bells; day, week or month. 519A 18th st.

A LOVELY sunny bay-window front room in private home, $10; for gentleman; near S. P and Key Route cars. 924 Filbert, or phone Oakland 2618.

A LARGE furnished room, with heat, gas, bath; one block Key Route inn. Phone Oakland 5272.

At St. George, Of Course

871 18th; $1 50 to $5 week; housekeeping.

AA—SUNNY rooms, $2 up; hot water, free baths; fine location. 572 10th st.

BROADWAY, down town rooms; your price; neat, modern; men only; cheaper for two; references. 486 5th st.

BEVERLY 958 Clay—Furn. rms., $2.50 week up; hot and cold water; transient.

FACING park, 3 minutes to S. P. locals and cars, 5 minutes to Broadway, sunny front bay-window room, with or without board. 168 9th st.; phone Oakland 6810.

FOR RENT—Sunny furnished front bay-window room, $3 50 per week. 518 15th street.

FURNISHED sunny room, reasonable, at 174 8th st., near Madison.

LARGE, well furnished rooms, $8 up; some housekeeping rooms. The Gladstone, 921 Broadway; phone Oakland 8923.

LARGE south room, two closets, lavatory, in modern home. 2682 Channing way, Berkeley.

LARGE front room, furnished; bath, telephone, central. 1216 Brush st., cor. 15th.

NEWLY furnished large sunny rooms, with use of bath; walking distance; $2 and $2 50 per week, private family. 217 12th st.; phone Oakland 6421.

PLEASANT, comfortable rooms for 1 or 2 gentlemen; reasonable. 257-A 12th st., three blocks from Broadway.

SUNNY suit of nicely furnished rooms; also single rooms; reasonable. 1601½ Brush st., cor. 22d st.

SNAP—$5 month, sunny front room; bath, gas, phone; near Key Route. 766 Telegraph.

TWO or three completely furnished rooms for housekeeping; private bath, gas range, etc.; also 8-room cottage unfurnished. 550 23d st.

TWO large, separate front rooms; bath, gas, telephone, rent reasonable. 924 Grove, cor. 9th; central.

WELL-FURNISHED sunny room; running water, bath, phone board if desired. Near S. P., 916 Myrtle.

THE BRONX—Newly furnished sunny rooms; hot and cold water. 508 14th st.

ROOMS AND BOARD

AA—FINE sunny room for one or two gentlemen; home cooking; near local and cars; nice neighborhood; reasonable. 859 Kirkham st., bet. 7th and 8th.

AT the Elkton there are sunny rooms with board; running water; on Key Route line; Sunday dinners a specialty. $17 12th st.; phone Oakland 8048.

AA—LARGE sunny rooms, private bath; excellent board, individual tables; large grounds. 1620 Madison, cor. 11th.

AA—SELECT rooms and board, convenient to narrow gauge; steam heat. 1376 Madison st.; Oakland 5171.

AT The Palms, 1103 Filbert—Bright, sunny rooms; excellent board. Phone Oakland 2851.

BEAUTIFUL sunny room, furnace; first-class board. 484 29th; Oakland 3102.

CHEERFUL, well-furnished room, with excellent table board, in private family; terms reasonable. Phone Piedmont 4583.

FRONT room with good board. 1401 Castro st., cor. 18th.

GOOD board and sunny room, $25 a month. Phones Berkeley 3322, F 1384.

Hotel Arlington

NINTH AND WASHINGTON.
The only first-class medium-priced family hotel in town; board and room $30 for couple; single rooms, $2 50 per week; housekeeping apartments in connection, 2 rooms $4, 3 rooms $5 week.

LARGE, pleasant room with board for one or couple. 149 8th st., cor. Madison.

NEWLY furnished rooms with or without board; close in; very reasonable; private family. 153 12th st.

NEWLY furnished rooms; sunny, clean; refined family; good plain board if desired; $25. 913 Union.

ROOMS with or without board; near Key Route; gentlemen preferred. 432 37th st., near Webster.

ROOM and board in private family, 2 blocks from Key Route. 737 14th st.

SUNNY rooms; excellent board. Individual tables; reasonable rates; block from Key Route, four blocks Broadway. 654 13th st.

SUNNY rooms with board; good home for young men; use of parlor, phone and bath. 1319 Grove st., cor. 17th.

THE AVONDALE, 584 28th st., near Telegraph—Room with private bath, also single; excellent board; references.

VERY desirable large front room; running water; with or without board; Vernon Heights; also small room. Phone Oakland 7902.

1279 HARRISON st.—Large sunny front bay-window room, grate, dressing room, running water, bath, phone; excellent home cooking.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

WANTED—A home with kind, reliable woman, nurse preferred, for elderly invalid lady; state location, terms, and give phone number. Box 4231, Tribune.

WANTED—Room with breakfast in private family or boarding house, within walking distance of business section; state price. Box 2896, Tribune.

CHILDREN BOARDED

A CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST lady will take young child to board; references exchanged. Address Box 2807, Tribune.

ONE or two children to board; best care; private home, doctor's reference. Address 413 E. 18th st., Oakland.

ONE or two children; good home; private family. Phone Piedmont 4125.

SELECT HOME.
Girls carefully trained; day, week or month. 478 36th st.

WIDOW lady with nice home would like child to board; will give mother's love and care. 525 32d st.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

At the Olive

Housekeeping suites, $15 month up; single, $8 up, $2 week up; fire grate; close to local; free gas. 920 Broadway, near 9th.

A COZY 5-room furnished cottage; bath, gas, electricity; block from Key Route; piano and sewing machine; all complete; rent reasonable. Call 810½ 64th st.

AAAA—PLEASANT 2-room suites, stove heater, gas range; $10, $14 and $16; also furnished bachelors' quarters. 1405 West street.

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AT 318 16th st., upper sunny furnished housekeeping rooms private family; walking distance; adults; reasonable.

AT 1419 Grove st., pleasant front bay-window room, small kitchen, for light housekeeping; furnace heat.

A FRONT alcove room; hot, cold water; single housekeeping rooms, $2 week up. Arlon, 915 San Pablo.

A NICE sunny housekeeping suite; very convenient; $10. The Webster, 670 Eighth st.

AA—SUNNY furnished rooms, light housekeeping; rent reasonable. 966 14th.

AT 806 Madison st.; must fill house; name your rate; modern; children taken.

A SMALL, cozy suite of rooms; regular kitchen; $12. 604½ 14th st.

A FURNISHED bedroom, with use of kitchen, $6. 722 18th st.

CLEAN; sunny; pleasant; suite reasonable, phone; gas, near local car line, none but refined people apply. 514 4th st.

CLEAN, completely furnished housekeeping suit; gas, bath, phone; $11. 1309 West st., bet 26th and 27th.

FOUR nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping, with piano, or two furnished rooms for light housekeeping reasonable. 569 Sycamore st., Oakland.

FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; central. 676 Seventeenth st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, all conveniences; also single room; reasonable. 1217 Alice; phone Oakland 9347.

FINEST 2-room furnished sunny housekeeping apartment; finest location. 724 14th st.

FOR RENT—Two furnished housekeeping rooms. 1458 Myrtle st., near Key Route.

FURNISHED rooms; single or en suite; both phones, bath. 588 Hobart st.

LOVELY, cozy, sunny, front, furnished housekeeping suite, regular kitchen; choice location; $12 50 to couple. 1740 Ninth ave. 8th ave. car.

LARGE sunny furnished housekeeping room, $2 50 per week. 966 West st., near local.

ONE or two nicely furnished sunny front housekeeping rooms in private family; rent reasonable; fine location; near locals; references. 727 7th st., cor. Brush.

SUNNY front room with kitchen; good location. 308 14th st.

TWO sunny convenient housekeeping rooms in private home, use of piano, phone hall, laundry, gas, electricity; completely secluded, reasonable, near 32d st. Key Route. 527 23d st.; phone Oakland 5376.

TWO connecting housekeeping rooms; running water, stove, gas, electricity; separate entrance; near park S. P. locals and cars; 5 minutes to Broadway. 168 9th st.; phone Oakland 6810.

TWO large, pleasant front rooms; gas range, grate, piano, bath, phone, laundry, near S. P.; reasonable. 916 Myrtle.

THREE completely furnished housekeeping rooms, bath separate entrance, water, $18 50. 584 59th st.

TWO furnished or unfurnished convenient housekeeping rooms; private family. 782 Fifty-fourth st.

TWO and three-room suites; laundry, bath, regular kitchen; near Key Route and S. P. 1008 Market.

TWO furnished rooms, with alcove, for light housekeeping; no children. 429 Moss ave.

TWO unfurnished housekeeping rooms, rent $15; regular kitchen. 1051 Filbert.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms for rent, $10. 587 36th st., near Grove.

TWO sunny housekeeping rooms with kitchen, cheap. 568 Williams st.

THREE rooms furnished for housekeeping; adults. 681 25th st.

962 CLAY, near 10th, large parlors, housekeeping; gas range, grate, sink, bath, phone; other rooms.

$30—MODERN 8-room apartment, completely furnished. 360 27th st., near Telegraph.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED

AA—WANTED—An up-to-date flat or bungalow, walking distance to 14th and Broadway; state rent and location. Box 2767, Tribune.

ABOUT 7-room modern house; first-class location. Phone Berkeley 2055.

I WILL rent for a few months, small furnished cottage; will give excellent care, but property must be in select neighborhood and first-class. Address Box B-734, Tribune.

LARGE or alcove room wanted, suitable for artist's studio, unfurnished, near Oakland center. Reply particulars, box 2836, Tribune.

SIX or seven-room house for cash; must be modern, practically new and up-to-date; high and sunny; Piedmont preferred. Box 2837, Tribune.

WANTED—To rent in Oakland or Berkeley, furnished house having at least 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences, and located convenient to city trains. Address R. H. Foss, 151 New Montgomery st., San Francisco.

APARTMENTS TO LET

At Maryland Apartments

Oakland's leading family apartment house; modern and homelike; steam heated; private phones. NW. corner 33d and Telegraph ave.

At Newsom Apartments

New, beautifully furnished; private; phone, heat, etc.; 3 blocks Key Route inn; reasonable. 24th and Valdez, east of Broadway.

APARTMENTS, The Safety—1, 2 and 3 rooms; new and modern; reasonable; no car fare. 228 San Pablo ave.

APARTMENT of four furn. or unfurn. rooms; private bath, heat. 800 14th st.

BUENA VISTA, 1411 Brush st.—Finely furnished; private baths; close in; special rates to permanents.

BEAUTIFUL and select 3-room flats; every convenience; adults. Athol ave. and Acton Place.

Casa Rosa Apartments

New, completely furnished; reasonable; 1 block Key Route, 5 minutes City Hall. 1213 Market, opp. 15th; phone Oak. 4164.

COZY apartments; free gas and lights. The Colonada, 546 32d st., bet. Grove and Telegraph; phone Piedmont 2050.

EXTRA, ELEGANT, LATEST

Secure one of the 2 or 3-room furnished apartments, just completed, at the elegant Frederick Apartments, 41st, near Telegraph Key Route station; $30 to $50.

FURNISHED apartments, 3 large sunny rooms and bath; no objection to one child over 7. Phone Piedmont 1448.

HOLLYWOOD APTS., 903 San Pablo ave. Front bay-window rooms, with regular kitchens; moderate prices. Phone Oakland 2271.

Laguna Vista fronting lake, at 23d st. cor. Harrison boulevard, furnished bedroom, dining-room, alcove kitchenette, dressing-room, bath; wall bed, private porch, steam heat, hot water, phone; $35-$37.

MURIELL, completely furnished 2 and 3 rooms, private phones, steam heat, etc., in beautiful location; 1½ blocks from 22d st.; Key Route depot. 327 Grand ave., nr. Webster; $25 and up.

Palm Inn Apartments. 524 25th st. New two, three, four rooms, furnished; sunny, large grounds and billiards; sleeping porches; close to Key Route; garage; room for auto.

St. Nicola Apartments

Quiet, modern, elegantly furnished; new management; centrally located. 16th and Clay sts.

THE VERY BEST
apartment; sunny, upper corner; large bedroom with SLEEPING PORCH, also living-room and dining-room (wall bed in each); fumed oak furniture, cabinet kitchen. The Elsmere, corner 19th and Harrison.

THE DON, 32d and San Pablo ave.—Cozy modern 2-room suites; also bachelor's quarters; cheap rent; phone A-1420.

THE FAIRMONT, 201 Orange st.—New and modern; elegantly furnished steam heat, 5 minutes 22d and Broadway.

Vue Du Lac

36 ave., at E. 16th st.; phone Merritt 1765—Perfect neatness, all conveniences and refined surroundings at the lowest rates in Oakland; Dimond car passes door.

Roslyn—19th & Telegraph

1 to 4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished.

206 TELEGRAPH ave., cor. 18th—Sunny, desirable, unfurnished housekeeping apartments; references. Office, 510 18th street.

STORES AND OFFICES

ELEGANT STORE; near Washington and 12th sts.; 14x40, exceptional lease; immediate occupancy. Address Box 884, Tribune office.

LARGE offices, 30x36, second floor of Tribune Bldg., cor. of 8th and Franklin sts.; rent reasonable; will give a lease to a good tenant. Apply J. F. Conners, Tribune.

HALLS TO LET

Porter Hall 1462 Grove st.; D. V. Deuel, Secy.; O. 8244. Lodge rooms, maple floors; store for rent.

LOTS FOR SALE

BARGAIN.
Large lot, 100 feet front, 200 feet deep; handy to electric cars; on new Southern Pacific electric extension, rapid service to S. F.; all improvements, will sell on easy terms, $250 down and $25 per month. Box B-875, Tribune.

BUILDING LOTS.
Near Key Route extension; handy to Piedmont ave. cars; 370 feet south frontage; owner will sell on easy terms. Box B-874, Tribune.

FINE residence or store site in Decoto, 2 blocks to R. R station; 60x100; on corner; for sale cheap. Box 2811, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Vacant lot 40x100, 45th st.; $800 cash. Box 9876, Tribune.

Here's a Real Snap

Buy this fine lot at once and make $250. The last unimproved lot in Greenwood ave., in Fourth Ave. Terrace, will be sold cheap—$1100 buys it. Will take half cash, balance 6%. Entire block improved with fine homes. All other lots selling for $1250 in this neighborhood.
J. C. ARNOLD,
Oakland Tribune Office.

LARGE lot near station $7.50 down, $7.50 per month. See James Hall, 8393 San Pablo ave., cor. 59th st.; phone Piedmont 76.

PIEDMONT LOT CHEAP
$300 Down

Balance terms to suit; lot 60x130, on Estrella ave., Central Piedmont tract; unobstructed view. Must sell; owner leaving Washington. For particulars write K., box 555, Sacramento, Cal.

PARTY going East wants to dispose of a choice lot on Greenwood ave., Fourth Ave. Terrace. This is a chance to make some money. Box 2840, Tribune.

$1700 BUYS the best bargain in Oakland; a 54-foot lot on Telegraph ave., near 50th st., with a 50-foot frontage on Racine, price $3200, mortgage $1500. Simmons & Sieber, 427 13th st., Oakland, Cal.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE

ALFALFA and fruit land, 40 acres left, $60 per acre; now is the time to get to the country on cheap land before it goes up, terms or exchange for Oakland property. Dixon, 957 Broadway, r. 24.

FOR SALE or exchange for Oakland property; 20 acres fine valley vineyard land situated 10 miles from Napa, Napa Co. For information phone Oakland 6644 or call 1319 Grove, cor. 17th.

I have a customer who has $4000 equity in ranch near Livermore.

$600 equity in Alton Park lots.

$1000 worth of stock in good oil company.

$1000 worth of stock in Allegheny gold mine; A1.

What have you to offer in exchange in Oakland residence property?

E. D. BUHR CO.,
868 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE (Continued)

HAVE beautiful clear lot in Piedmont to apply on 7-room mo house, $5000 to $7000; Adams Point p ferred. Location and price, Box 4220, Tribune.

IMPROVED property t exchange for vacant lots anywhere n Oakland. J. S. Myers, 420 11th st., Oakland.

I CAN exchange your property for anything you want. Cal and see me, C. T. Scott, 468 14th st.

Modern Flats

On lot 31x100. Income $50 a month. On Telegraph ave.; fine location and always rented; $6000. Will exchange for an up-to-date ranch.
S. & F. Gray
869 12th st., opp. Hotel St. Mark.

New Modern Home

One block east of Piedmont ave.; excellent location; 7-room house; just completed; lot 33 1-3x100. A bargain; $4000. Will sell on terms, $25 down.
S. & F. Gray
869 12th st., opp. Hotel St. Mark.

STOCK ranch for merchandise anywhere, or for bay improved 1435 Henry st., Berkeley.

WILL trade new beautifully located artistic 7-room house, on exclusive Linda Vista, on elevated ground with magnificent view, close to Key Route; hardwood floors, furnace and sleeping porch, for unimproved property in good location. Box 2891, Tribune.

WILL trade 5-room bungalow, just finished, near Telegraph, close to Key Route, for a good lot in good location. Box 2890, Tribune.

WANTED—Some plumbing work in exchange for 20 acres fruit or alfalfa land. See Dixon, 957 Broadway, room 24.

$15 PER ACRE; 440 acres good level land; one mile to railroad station 4 miles to electric car line; Sacramento; $42,000, 556 acres; dairy and stock ranch 200 acres in cultivation; 60 acres in alfalfa and clover; on irrigating ditch; 6 acres orchard; good house and barns and farming utensils $5500, 73 acres apple land, near Watsonville; 8 acres choice apples, house and barn; 3 miles to railroad station HUGH M. CAMERON, 1068 Broadway.

$6000—TWO 5-room flats, new and modern, on Ashby ave near Key Route and S. P. R. R. station; lot 40x160; to exchange for building lots Henry N. Ruml-Suden, 476 10th st., Oakland.

2 fine flats in San Francisco, $7500. 20 a. alfalfa land, Stockton; house; $2500. 44 a. adjoining, $4000. Owner, W. O. Hardware Co., 16th and Market, S. F.

PROPERTY WANTED

AA—I WANT to buy 5-room bungalow; must be up-to-date in every respect; walking distance from 14th and Broadway; state price, terms and location; no agents. Box 27 8, Tribune.

CASH for property, any kind, anywhere. If you want to buy sell or exchange address Northwestern Business Agency, Minneapolis, Minn.

OAKLAND PROPERTY WANTED.
Wanted to buy for cash, good building lots. J. S. Myers, 420 11th st., Oakland.

PROPERTY WANTED—An acre of unimproved Claremont hillside property; must have marine view and be cheap; state full particulars. Box 4222, Tribune.

WANT to buy furnished rooming or apartment house, Oakland; $2500 will handle. Box 2874, Tribune.

WANTED—Cottage or lot in North Oakland, state location and price, $1000 cash, balance monthly. James Steens, general delivery.

WANTED—Country lands; small and large tracts; suitable for subdivision; state price, location. P. O. Box 86, Fruitvale.

WANTED to buy at once, building lot; must be a bargain; answer location and price. Box B-865, Tribune.

OWN YOUR OWN HOME.

IF you have an equity in a nice building lot we will take up unpaid balance and build you a home. Box 2692, Tribune.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

ALL new silk floss, hair, cotton wool, or combination mattresses. We have contracted with a first class manufacturer to sell with 4 given time 1000 beds. Special inducements to large buyers. H. Schellhaas, 409 11th st., at Franklin, Oakland.

BEAUTIFUL furniture, almost new, for sale, central, upper sunny corner flat for rent. Call 973 Grove st., bet 4 and 5 o'clock.

COMPLETE contents of 4-room cottage, finest grade of furniture and rugs all in best condition; original cost $550; will sell complete $75 cash; no dealers. 1910 Essex st., near Ashby station, Berkeley.

FURNISHINGS five room bungalow; complete, new; twenty laying hens; close in; snap. Box B, 885 Tribune.

GENUINE birdseye maple dresser and chiffonier, $35 for two pieces. Special for Monday. Ashby Furniture Co., Ashby station, Berkeley.

MUST sell at once, piano, sideboard, chiffonier, dresser, and also other articles, leaving town. 1329 11th ave., East Oakland.

NICELY furnished 7-room flat; cheap rent. 614 Telegraph; phone Oak. 7648.

QUANTITY good soft furniture cheap for cash. Mitchell, 122 13th ave.

WE offer for sale at a price far below actual value a pair of flats on a corner lot, renting for $2 per month, with space for cottage on same lot that will rent for $26 per month, near the 40th and Piedmont ave Key Route depot. the owner is a non-resident and compelled to sell; the rents will equal 15 per cent on the money invested. Real Estate Company, 1054 Piedmont ave.; phones Piedmont 1542, Home A-1542, or Oakland 70.

$2 RUGS, 9x12, $2, 03, $4; much better and cheaper than in 1 fitting; lace curtains, 25c pair; live geese, feather pillows, 75c, only one pair to each customer. Oakland Auction Co., 559-563 13th st., near Franklin.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

BIG team of Oregon horses and heavy set of work harness for sale at a bargain. Inquire at 2727 Prince st.; Ashby station, Berkeley; phone Berkeley 1844.

BUSINESS rig, rubber-tired buggy; cheap, real estate, 1292 47th ave. Melrose station.

CUT RATES for hacks and livery; special care and best feed for board. 870 11th st., Dashaway Stables.

FOR SALE—Good delivery horse, 1200 lbs., black; also fine surrey horse, weight 1250 lbs.; see office for quick sale. Call 208 E. 11th st. phones Merritt 1107.

FOR SALE—Horse, weight 1215 lbs., sound, works single or double, also new business buggy and harness. Call 1320 San Pablo ave., San Pablo Livery Stable.

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For further details write A. L. Stanley, Santa Marie, Cal.

SACRIFICE SALE—1-acre ranch near Lodi, one-fourth mile from R. R. station; 8-room house, barn 28x44, pig pens, chicken corral, etc.; 4½ acres in alfalfa, 4 acres in berries and family orchard; 5-horsepower gasoline pumping plant, 24 hogs, 1 cow, 1 horse, 250 chickens, farming implements, household goods. This is a snap at $3500, but can be bought at $2800. Address P. A. Brion, Lodi, Cal.

TO LEASE—Beautiful country home, 13 acres, house of 8 rooms, nicely furnished; 10 acres prunes, horse and buggy; in thriving town in Santa Clara valley, one hour from S. F.; will lease for 2 years; house separate or all as a whole; rent very reasonable. Box 4224, Tribune.

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5 to 10-acre tracts along new electric road to Oakland; trees now bearing; will double in value in 2 years time; easy terms.
PERKINS-SMITH COMPANY,
No. 1 Telegraph ave.

YOUNG ORCHARDS IN ROGUE RIVER VALLEY, OREGON.
Four developed orchard tracts of sixteen acres each, or two and three-year-olds; located in heart of best fruit section, four miles from Medford. Price $250 to $500 per acre, easy terms; closest inspection invited. If interested, phone or write A. P. Stover, owner, 2018 Benvenue, Berkeley.

$1250—28-acre chicken and alfalfa ranch in Contra Costa county; 4-room cabin. Henry N. Tum Suden, 476 10th st., Oakland.

HOUSES FOR SALE

A Great Sacrifice

This is no "hard-luck story"; I need the money. I myself would pay $1000 more than the price I ask in buying such a property and consider it a bargain. Story and half cottage, 5 rooms and bath upstairs; 4 basement rooms rented to two tenants. With small expense can raise and put store under. Marker st., 100 feet from 22d st. Key Route station. Only $2400; $1000 cash, balance flat mortgage, or all cash. Inquire at 1209 7th st.

A SNAP.
For sale, modern 5-room house; high basement, near station, on 50x184; easy terms; $25, interest 8 per cent. James Hall, 5883 San Pablo ave., cor. 59th; phone Piedmont 76.

AAA—BARGAIN—New 5-room cottage for sale cheap, easy payments; one block from Key Route station; owner must leave at once; also furnished if you like. 5218 Market, near 52d; call Sunday.

A MODERN 6-room house for sale cheap; with or without furniture; ½ block from Key Route station or Grove street car; must be seen to be appreciated. 825 Sixtieth street

AN exceptional opportunity to secure new 6-room, strictly modern cottage, cheap, on easy terms; owner leaving city. Call 722 Fifty-fourth st

A MODERN 6-room cottage; good location; lot 40x140; two car lines; cheap. 667 E. 27th st., East Oakland.

A 5-ROOM bungalow; elegant; fine location; sleeping porch; 12th st.; phone Merritt 2708. F. C. Corbett, 462

ANY lot you like; will buy it and build home to suit; 1-10 cash, balance like rent. Box 2762, Tribune.

BARGAIN—Pretty 4-room house; large bath room, unusually large closets and cement basement; $400 cash, balance $25 per month; price $2750. See owner, O. F. Breiling, West Oakland Bank; phone Oakland 1077. 810; residence phone

BEAUTIFULLY furnished modern home; easy terms; near Key Route. 348 54th st.; Grove st. car; Piedmont 4997.

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room cottage, just completed; select location; lot 40x100; easy terms; also choice building lots on terms. Inquire owner, room 714, Bacon Bldg.

FOR SALE—Modern 9-room house on E. 18th st., near 11th ave.; lot 60x150 feet; high cement basement; reasonable price; easy terms. E. H. Welch & Co., 8th ave. and E. 18th st.

Piedmont Bargain

Modern 7-room home in the finest neighborhood, grand corner, overlooking San Francisco bay and Lake Merritt. Terms $2000 cash, balance mortgage $4000 at 6%; absolutely the best buy ever listed on my books during my real estate experience. One block to car, handy to Piedmont school. If you are considering buying or building in Piedmont do me the favor to show you the biggest sacrifice ever offered in Alameda Co. Owner is losing $1250 at this price. No trades considered.

R. S. McHENRY,
1308 Broadway, Oakland.
Ground Floor, Central Bank Bldg.

HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued.)
FOR SALE BY

United Realty Co.

1110 Clay Street
The following houses:

$150 Cash, $20 Monthly

Swell 4-room and sleeping porch 1½-story bungalow; bookcases, window benches, large clinker fireplace, fine porch; never occupied; move right in; lot 38x160; close to East 14th st. cars. Price $2300.

$200 Cash, $35 Monthly

Two-story 7-room brand new house on Steinway Terrace; lot fenced; nicely located; good bargain at $3850.

$250 Cash, $25 Monthly

6-room high basement brand new cottage, hardwood floors, large rooms, vestibule; in fine block of similar houses; near Fremont high school; $2750.

$150, $200, $250, $300 Cash

buys choice of 20 cottages, houses and bungalows in East Oakland, Melrose and Fruitvale, balance monthly payments, $16, $20, $25, including the interest; electric and ferry service.

$250 Cash, $25 Monthly

Modern 6-room new bungalow, nice outside appearance, up-to-date inside; 3 upstairs bedrooms; near Key Route at 53d st. Price $3750.

$500 Cash, $30 Monthly

6-room 2-story house, 3 large bedrooms, bath and toilet upstairs, parlor, dining room, kitchen, laundry, toilet, porches downstairs; flowers, palms; basement; near 40th and Piedmont Key Route. Price $3900.

$500 Cash, $35 Monthly

Grand 7-room home; cost $4900; house insured for $4000; will sell for $3850 on above terms; near San Pablo ave. and S. P. ferry, North Oakland. Big snap for swell home.

$1000 Cash, Bal. $1900

No interest to pay; 7-room nearly new house; walking distance; east side, near S. P. depot; $25 monthly pays the balance. This is a good thing.

$300 Cash, Price $1100

buys 3-room tenanted house on lot 200 feet frontage with depth of 135 feet on Hilltop, off Mills College car line pay balance to suit you.

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buys 7-room house, 25th st.; lot 38x146. A bargain close in home for $3900.

$2300 Cash, Mtg. $4700

buys close in 8-room swell home, nearly new; beautifully located and grandly equipped.

$200, $250, $300, $500

These amounts in cash will take choice of a dozen brand new up-to-the-minute 4, 5, 6-room cottages and bungalows in North Oakland and along the Key Route service, on easy monthly payments that in all cases includes the interest payment.

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Something swell at $6000, for $1000 down.

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United Realty Co.

1110 Clay St. Bet. 12th & 13th
Phones: 2625 Oak.; Home A-2842.

FOR SALE—Modern 5-room cottage, high basement; lot 40x100; driveway. 557 Vernon st., Linda Vista Terrace; bargain; see owner.

FOR SALE by owner, new 6-room house, with sleeping porch; one-half block from lake; terms. Box 4203, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Modern 2-story house, 7 rooms and bath; high basement. 857 Grove st., bet. 7th and 8th; owner.

NEW modern furnished 5-room house, 2 lots, close stations. P. Privlato, 14th st., E. Elmhurst.

SACRIFICE for quick sale, our home, acknowledged to be the handsomest bungalow in Oakland; cost $12,000 two years ago; 7 rooms; hardwood floors throughout; Rund heater, furnace, etc.; 83x160, one block from two car lines, four minutes from Key Route; best offer takes it; we need the money for something else. George Friend, 2050 Richmond Boulevard; phone Oakland 6910.

SIX-ROOM HOUSE.

$3000

Near Key Route and car line, between Grove and Telegraph avenue. $900 in cash is all that is necessary to take this bargain. (4000)

REALTY BONDS AND FINANCE CO.,
1172 Broadway.

Stop Paying Rent

Why pay rent when you can have your choice of 50 of the best $2000 to $6000 homes in Oakland, upon a payment of $250 in cash and the balance like rent?

F. D. BURR CO.,
968 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SIX-ROOM cottage, on Madison st., between 7th and 8th; $3750; will trade for good auto. Phone Oakland 7914.

UP AGAINST IT.
House too large for my income, modern, up to date 7 rooms, large lot, high class neighborhood. Will sacrifice on my equity. Box 4225 Tribune.

$7850.00.
BEST BUY IN ADAMS POINT.
House of seven large rooms; four bedrooms; on the best street in Lakeside district; lot 50x125. This is a very attractive, comfortable home. (4573)

REALTY BONDS AND FINANCE CO.,
1172 Broadway.

$250 DOWN buys a new 5-room bungalow with high basement, cement foundation, with nicely arranged floor plan and splendid interior finish; price $2750. Simmons & Sieber, 427 18th st., Oakland, Cal.

$4000—ONE-THIRD cash, balance easy, 6-room high basement cottage on 19th ave.; choice location, near Franklin school and car lines. E. H. Welch & Co., 8th ave. and E. 18th st.

$150 DOWN, $25 per month, gets 5-room modern bungalow; a snap if taken at once. See owner, 6210 Baker st., Oakland.

ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE.

AAAA—24-room apt. house, all full, $1000; can positively show reasons for selling; no agents. Box 2841, Tribune.

A BARGAIN, cash or terms, apartment house 27 rooms; good location; owner leaving city. Box 4228, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Newly furnished 18 rooms, 3 blocks 12th and Broadway; rent $50 per month, 2 years' lease; pays $100 over expenses; must be sold at once; owner leaving; no agents. Box 2843, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Apartment house, 130 rooms; best located and equipped in Oakland; $5000 cash, balance easy terms. Address Box B-6?5, Tribune.

FURNISHED rooming house, 55 rooms, now full, lease, reasonable rent; down town; sacrifice; $3600. Box 2874, Tribune.

FOR SALE—Cheap, small rooming house, $480. See the owner, 987 Broadway, r. 24.

Must Sell Monday

11 rooms; homelike; nicely furnished; $250 will handle; absolute bargain. See MITCHENER, 233 Bacon block.

MUST sacrifice at once, good paying rooming house or have lady partner to take charge. 1826 Post st., S. F.

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Take Melrose, San Leandro or Hayward cars; transfer to Liese avenue (two blocks past Fruitvale) and ride two blocks to the property.
Key Route has a proposed extension run alongside of Boulevard Park, meaning a one-fare trip to San Francisco.
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Phone Merritt 10.
Branch office, Liese ave. and Boulevard. Phone Merritt 3484.

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1922 Fruitvale ave., corner Boulevard.

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$3900—Brand new 6 room bungalow; with reception hall; bath; pantry and laundry; has every latest device and convenience; beautiful mantel and china dresser; veneered paneling; all large sunny rooms; lot 44x120; terraced front; cement steps and walks; restricted locality; easy terms.

Big Bargain

$3500—Beautiful cottage, 6 rooms and bath; reception hall; pantry; laundry, etc.; strictly up-to-date; two lots 40x101 each, making 80x101; store building on the 2d lot; choice location; close in; this is a snap; terms.

Foreclosure Sale

$3200—A good 4 room cottage with bathroom; pantry, etc.; corner lot 150x180; fronting on 2 streets; will make 6 good lots; high elevation; fine view; near new Key Route extension; biggest snap in town; must be sold at once; make offer for cash; don't delay.

Also Forced Sale

$2400—Brand new cottage 5 rooms and bath; reception hall; pantry; laundry, etc.; lot 35x100; beautiful location; close to Fruitvale ave.; can make easy terms; see this today.

Good Investment

$3500—Two acres of land; 4 room cottage; fine well with electric motor; right on car line; 5 cent fare and 25 minutes to Oakland; can you beat it?

Come to the office and look over our list; we have others; we have 5 and 6 rooms cottages now building, on very easy terms; open every day.

HOME INVESTMENT COMPANY
Corner Fruitvale Avenue and Boulevard.

ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued.)

SPECIAL—15 room housekeeping; corner; close in; furniture and building in fine condition; we sold this place some time ago for $1800 cash and it is now being sacrificed for $450; if you want it call or phone Monday. Thomas C. Spilker & Co., 280 Bacon Block. Phone Oak 7794—A-1926.

SMALL boarding house; good business; bargain; overlooking town. 924 Adeline street.

W. L. Mitchener & Co.

233 Bacon Block—Phone O. 8188.

$175— 9 rooms; very central; snap.
$300— 10 rooms; right in town.
$400— 14 rooms; clears $60; bargain.
$450— 18 rooms; rent $50; Washington st.
$650— 22 rooms; near station; pickup.
$1400— 20 rooms; fine furniture; apartments.
$1700— 41 rooms; clears $200; must sell.
$2700— 38 rooms; newly furn.; modern.
$3500— 66 rooms; swell corner; modern.
$4000— 70 rooms; Washington st. Invest.
$5600—100 rooms; mod.; elevator; bargain.
The above list is just a few of our many bargains.

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$950—16 rooms; well furnished; rent $45.
$3250—63 rooms; fine furniture; rent $200.
The above properties are unequaled for price and location.

W. F. O'Banion

468 9TH STREET.

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SMALL house and lot, total price $450; easy terms. 2728 Fruitvale ave.

$50 CASH, balance $10 per month, lot 100x100.
$100 cash, 4 rooms; modern; $15 per month.
We can sell you any property in Fruitvale or exchange for country property.
FRUITVALE REALTY CO.,
Corner E. 12th st. and Fruitvale ave.

ROOMING HOUSES WANTED

A ROOMING house; centrally located; not less than 20 rooms; must be bargain. The Success Rental Agency, 3004 Broadway, Room 16.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR SALE

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Apartment 5 rooms, bath, completely furnished; steam heated; reasonable rent; use of piano for indefinite period; apartment one of the cleanest, sunniest most desirable; 5 minutes' walk 14th and Broadway; no reasonable offer refused. Phone Oakland 7982.

$100—A snap; corner location; well furnished 6-room flat; 2 rooms rented. 1151 Harrison, cor. 13th st.

Classified advertisements in THE TRIBUNE pay big returns for the money invested.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:
BETTENCOURT-SERPA—Joseph Bettencourt, 28, and Mary G. Serpa, 18, both of San Leandro.
DEL BANTA-FABBERI—Ognostino Del Banta, 28, and Brandina Fabbieri, 24, both of Oakland.

BIRTHS.

AMOS—In this city, January 8, 1911, to the wife of H. Amos, a daughter.
CONNELLY—In this city, January 10, 1911, to the wife of H. E. Connelly, a daughter.
CURRIE—In this city, January 11, 1911, to the wife of J. R. Currie, a daughter.
GRAVES—In this city, January 12, 1911, to the wife of R. D. Graves, a son.
HICKE—In this city, January 8, 1911, to the wife of J. N. Hicke, a daughter.
KELLY—In this city, January 9, 1911, to the wife of J. A. Kelly, a daughter.
OWEN—In this city, January 8, 1911, to the wife of R. C. Owen, a daughter.
PETERSEN—In this city, January 7, 1911, to the wife of P. Petersen, a daughter.
STORY—In this city, January 8, 1911, to the wife of L. W. Story, a daughter.
WHITING—January 4, 1911, to the wife of Frank W. Whiting, a son.

DEATHS.

CASE—In Chico, January 14, 1911, J. E. Case, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Case and brother of Mrs. Walter Pilgrim, a native of Modesto, aged 23 years.
CURRIER—In this city, January 14, 1911, Alice Matilda Currier, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Ethel B. Skidmore, Mrs. Edith L. Wood and Mrs. Elsie Phillips, a native of Ohio, aged 59 years 11 months and 12 days.
DALY—In this city, January 13, 1911, John H., beloved husband of Frances Daly and loving father of Mrs. N. H. Johnston, a native of Ireland, aged 57 years 6 months and 22 days.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, January 16, at 9 o'clock a. m., from his late residence, 962 Pine street; thence to St. Patrick's Church, West Oakland, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery.
LAMB—In this city, January 12, 1911, Margaret, beloved wife of the late Peter Lamb, a native of Ireland, aged 80 years 1 month and 11 days.
Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, January 16, 1911, at 8:30 a. m., from the parlors of McManus & Freeman, Seventh and Castro streets, thence to St. Anthony's Church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery.
MEEHAN—In East Oakland, Cal., January 12, 1911, Elizabeth Meehan, beloved mother of Jesse P., Marcellus G. and Miss Elizabeth Ely Meehan of East Oakland and Mrs. M. A. Bromley of Chicago, a native of Essex county, Vermont, aged 88 years 2 months and 10 days.
Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Monday, January 16, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m. at St. Anthony's Church, corner Sixteenth avenue and East Fifteenth street, East Oakland, Cal., where requiem high mass will be celebrated.
WARNER—Passed away, at Altenheim, January 13, 1911, Mrs. Elizabeth Warner, a native of Germany, aged 77 years and 6 months.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our many friends and Loyal Order of Moose for their kindness and the beautiful floral offerings during our late bereavement. MR. AND MRS. C. COOK.

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COR. 21st AND TELEGRAPH AVE.
Phone Oakland 8285.

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NORTH BERKELEY

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Oakland and Emeryville people may reach this cemetery direct by San Pablo ave. County Line cars; Berkeleyans by transfer to San Pablo ave. County Line cars at Dwight way or University ave., thence by free carriage to the cemetery.
Telephone Berkeley 5466.
GEORGE R. FLETCHER,
Superintendent.

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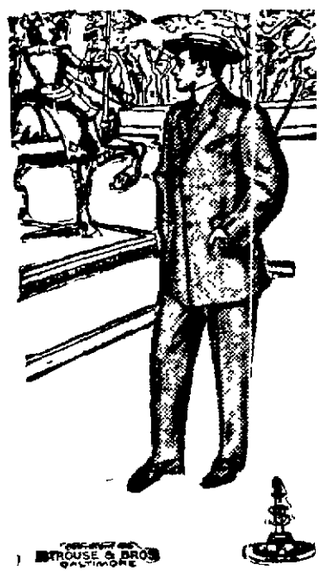

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The suits that I am offering are all this season's latest styles. The tailoring is thorough in every respect and my extraordinary reductions are positively the best values ever offered in new, fresh and desirable up-to-date Men's Clothing. They come in the latest single and double-breasted models. See them on display in my big windows. A look will convince you that I have made no exaggerated statements

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WASHINGTON STREET CORNER TENTH

LIVERPOOL DETERMINED TO CRUSH MORMONISM

Port That Contributes Hundreds of Girls to Polygamy Declares Shipments Must Cease

(By CHESTER D OVERTON)

LONDON Jan 14—The citizens of Liverpool the port from which hundreds of girls are sent every year to swell the Mormon colonies of Utah North Dakota and other polygamous colonies in America have risen in vehemen protest against the alarming growth of Mormonism in England and especially in Liverpool

After a series of special meetings held this week resolutions have been adopted by the townspeople appealing to the Home Secretary and demanding restrictive legislation

This move to stop the trafficking in young girls has the sanction of the Bishop of Liverpool who it is understood is the instigator of the open crusade against the Mormons England has for some time been the chosen field of the activities of the missionaries and Mormon emissaries finds many converts who have left their homes lured away by the mysterious attractions of polygamy Although the movement is directed from headquarters in a little building near Hyde Park missionary work is done in the provinces and in small towns where canvassers go from house to house delivering tracts and teaching the doctrines of Joseph Smith

MORMON STRONGHOLD

But Liverpool is the Mormon stronghold for there they must unite their forces to secure the unmolested transportation of the newly made converts To do this they have hit upon an ingenious scheme Dr Charles W Penrose, who fathers the movement in Liverpool secured an influential position in the immigration bureau of the White Star line By meeting as agent for that company he has been able to secure transportation for hundreds of girls to America on the pretext of their becoming servants and filling other minor positions The passage money was paid by generous contributions from friends of the movement here and the local supporters in the United States

It has just been discovered that the Mormons have established a home in Liverpool where the girls are kept until the sailings The Mormons have also an elaborate plotting plan Bootle near Liverpool is where their registers literature is printed and where a weekly paper is published The work of the sect is carried on with such secrecy that it is almost impossible for the authorities to obtain tangible evidence against them

Young girls and many married women simply disappear from their homes and it is not located or mentioned but a letter or perhaps a postal bearing an American stamp notifies friends and relatives that they have embraced the Mormon faith

ALL COMBINE

All religious bodies have now combined to stamp out Mormonism and it is known that the Home Secretary who has been investigating the conditions on his own account is heartily in accord with the crusade Several members of Parliament who are interested are now preparing a bill to present at the next session excluding Mormons from the United Kingdom

Sir William Fass a member of the famous family of Boston brewers and who is generally credited with great wealth is said to be in serious financial difficulties He is a great racing man married a daughter of the Earl of Huntington is a notable figure on every race track and is affectionately called Billie by his friends

His present trouble has arisen through a company promoter of whom little is known Sir William handed post dated notes for a sum said to be close to a million dollars to this person as security whereon to raise money to float a big scheme of moving pictures The money was duly raised but the promoter and his backers have vanished Legal proceedings is likely to be heard about the case

PROMISES BIG LOAN

In addition to this respectable Sir William has already raised a loan of sixty thousand pounds to his great friend Arthur Lee Baronness Decies connection of Lord Lyveden and Lord Milltown the great Dublin brewer Gumless had been in trouble breach of promise way promised to pull him through He is now endeavoring to negotiate a loan for the purpose with a famous money chief but in view of the above disaster he will be forced to pay an exorbitant rate of interest

It is now stated that the house in London which Mrs George Keppel recently purchased in Grosvenor street will be put up for sale next fall Mrs Keppel has a lease for the house which only covers April May June and July so there should be some exciting bidding for the desirable residence when it comes in the market as it is generally known that several prominent American hostesses are anxious to get it

Buckingham House has a magnificent ballroom with Adams decoration which is the chief attraction to hostesses while the luxurious fittings of the bedrooms will appeal especially to Americans

CHANGES RESIDENCE

Another change of residence has just occurred William Phillips first secretary of the American Embassy has with Mr Phillips just rented a house in Great Stanhope recently vacated by Captain Crichton but will not attach to the embassy Mr and Mrs Phillips intend during the coronation season to entertain but subsequent to the latter entertaining the ambassador and Mrs Phillips will initiate a series of regular week day dinner parties

Catherine Lady Decies who is now staying at her house in Wilton Place leaves toward the end of the month for New York where will be present at the wedding of her son Lord Malvin Cecil Later the couple will spend a few days in New York going on to the West coast to visit the younger son the Hon William Beresford who married daughter of G J Miller of Providence R I

Another interesting visitor to New York later will be Winifred Countess Arlen who with her daughter Lady Winifred Gordon has just sailed for Canada where she has married daughter Mrs Donegal Malcolm being at Ottawa Lady Arlen has a number of friends in and around New York

Agreement Regarding North Atlantic Fisheries

WASHINGTON Jan 14—An agreement was reached today in the North Atlantic fisheries negotiations The treaty will go into the convenience of the Canadian representatives it was announced at the State Department today that the Dominion officials might be first advised as to its provisions Negotiations with the Newfoundland government are still proceeding

AEROPLANES FOR ARMY

WASHINGTON Jan 14—The purchase of aeroplanes for the army was authorized by an amendment to the army appropriation bill adopted by the senate

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Nerve strength is a potent factor in all physical and mental health Weak nerves mean weak brain weak heart weak circulation Uric acid and other poisons find it easy to accumulate throughout the system—causing Rheumatism Extreme Nervousness with a host of troubles Backache Neuralgia and hundred ailments

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PARIS IS ENCHANTED BY AMERICAN PROFILE

Face of Mrs. George Vanderbilt Drags French Capital to Her Feet.

BOLDINI ENTHUSES OVER PRETTY MODEL

Declares That There Are None to Equal Former Miss Dresser.

(By MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE)

PARIS Jan 14—The studio of Boldini the famous painter has become the fashionable haunt of the most fashionable Parisians

The great attraction this season is the beautiful portrait of a beautiful American woman Mrs George Vanderbilt formerly Miss Edith S Dresser of New York

Boldini says he has painted the portraits of many American women but he has never had such a splendid model as Mrs Vanderbilt She poses as easily and naturally as any professional Her portrait will be exhibited in the salon of the French artist after which it will be sent to Baltimore to adorn a picture gallery there Mrs George W Vanderbilt is well known in Parisian society She lived here several years before her marriage to George Vanderbilt of Baltimore fame, and their wedding was one of the great events of that Paris season

COMPARING TWO PICTURES

Last year another portrait of a Vanderbilt was on exhibition It was that of Mrs W K Vanderbilt Now comparisons are being made between the two portraits of the two Mrs Vanderbilts Fleming has also appointed a portrait of Mrs Whitney Warren Mrs J B Duke Mrs Dinsmore and many other well known New Yorkers

We have a world-wide reputation in supplying America with bogus old masters There are also many bogus young masters being exhibited On the height of Mount Martre are scores of artists secretly and stealthily at work copying well known modern works or dealers who have customers among rich foreigners

Not so very long ago fired by enthusiasm a the beautiful girl that Renner made immortal on his canvases an enterprising American came over to Paris and bought all the original Renners He then returned to America engaged some of young artists who once they touch the tired castle turned out a Renner and did a good Renner too Thus Renners had a good sale in New York and deserved it They were excellent copies

BOUGHT BY POLITICIANS

I fear that some of them were bought by politicians of Tammany Hall Poor old Renner who tells his stories over that of Wall McEwen in the Place Pigalle—now supplied that pleased he would be The knew that the delicate compliment of imitation was now being paid him in the new world

The Saints Club of Paris founded by Mrs Hamilton Fish man wife of the American Ambassador to Italy has taken on a new lease of life Formerly it met every Friday now it holds reunions twice a week On these occasions the Palais de Glace is given over exclusively to the members of this fashionable club

This exclusiveness however has created a sort of skating aristocracy and bourgeoisie Needless to say the creation of a new caste Bon ton skating club has many enemies Without desiring to say spitefully that the club is simply a matrimonial bureau its friends refer to it as Mrs Cummins folly As a matter of fact the skating equals Dating club purely and simply and never mind the fact that its secretary was at this club Miss Leiter and that Count Boni de Castellane was wooed by him and the ward became his wife This is the reason perhaps why notorious members decline the club is a sort of matrimonial bureau There Lorenzo Jerome Hamilton Fish also met her now husband the Duc de Trasilin

VALUES ADVANCE IN STOCK MARKET

All Better Known Issues Are Affected by Enhancement of Prices.

NEW YORK Jan 14—Enhancement of value was quite general in the steel market this week The advance affected the better known issues with some participation by the specialties Business on a fairly moderate volume with no assertion of professionalism to was however some better inquiry for investment issues

Sentiment inclines toward greater confidence in the early business and to dispel any lingering doubt outlook in some lines of trade notably mercantile Aside from reaffirmation of price by steel furnaces the week was barren of developments in that industry

METAL REPORTS

Recent reports of steel and copper interests were equally disappointing in that demand for finished products in the first month denotes practically no improvement while the figures in respect to unsold surplus of pig iron and steel show increased production Operations in both and railroads and railroad equipment are still at a low ebb Among the unfavorable features were the reported case of $100 000 in Pennsylvania and an increase in the Canadian Pacific dividend to 10 per cent, putting that issue to a new high record

Few Voters Left in An Ohio County

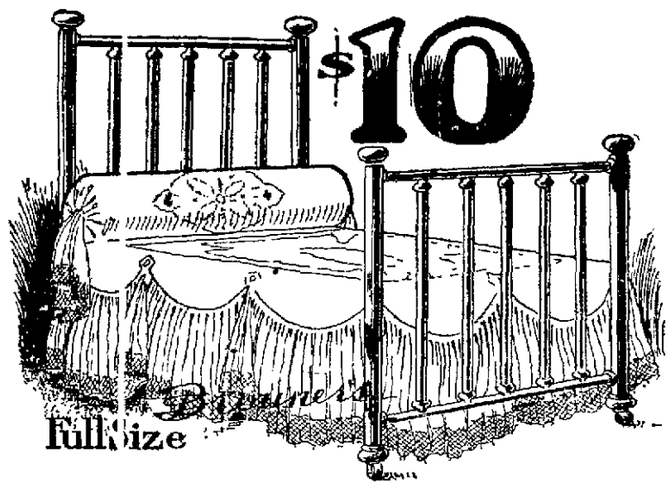
WEST UNION Ohio Jan 14—Inquiry today developed that one hundred negroes have been disfranchised because of vote selling Prosecution no more than five other negroes of voting age in Adams county

After passing sentence on fifty voters Judge Hildebrand adjourned court until January 2 He makes a total of 100 who have been sentenced and disfranchised In one fourth of the voting strength of the county

TAXI INJURES WOMAN

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Mrs Lena Moores 604 Elizabeth street was run down by an automobile late yesterday evening at the corner of Powell and Market streets and sustained internal injuries and bruises of the right foot She was removed to her home The machine was driven by Bruce of the Taxicab Livery Company, 46 Fulton street.

Our Annual Clearance Sale is now in full force. Profit is forgotton during this sale. Come and look on the green tags.



For this full-size Genuine Brass Bed

This is only one of hundreds of articles that are reduced during our Great Annual Clearance Sale

If you haven't sufficient cash to pay for what you need we will trust you privately and make terms of payment to suit your convenience Come in and browse around—look in our windows—look through the store—compare the prices, you will then understand what a money-saving event this sale is.

The Carpet Event of the year

Better prices and bigger bargains than ever before. While they last

$1.85 and $1.95 Body Brussels Carpets

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Lot No 1—	47 yards of Whittall	Lot No 9—	32 yards of Whittall	Lot No 19—	140 yards of Bigelow
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Lot No 3—	39 yards of Whittall	Lot No 10—	32 yards of Whittall	Lot No 17—	17 yards of Whittall
Lot No 4—	38 yards of Whittall	Lot No 11—	10 yards of Lowell	Lot No 56—	103 yards of Bigelow
Lot No 5—	46 yards of Whittall	Lot No 12—	50 yards of Lowell	Lot No 55—	102 yards of Bigelow
Lot No 6—	73 yards of Whittall	Lot No 14—	33 yards of Lowell	Lot No 22—	91 yards of Lowell
Lot No 7—	52 yards of Whittall	Lot No 15—	25 yards of Lowell	Lot No 23—	48 yards of Lowell
Lot No 8—	80 yards of Whittall	Lot No 16—	47 yards of Lowell	Lot No 24—	38 yards of Lowell
				Lot No 25—	151 yards of Lowell

In the Drapery Department

Monday we place on sale 40-inch Stenciled Scrims and Casement Cloths in a fine assortment of patterns and colors—regular 25c, 30c and 35c values, at 18c the yard.

Also 100 fine cretonne covered 24-inch floss filled Cushions at $1.00 each, and 150 floss filled Cushions covered in fine Tapestries, Damasks, Silks and Velours—your choice at $1.85.

Has your child entered the Children's Contest for the Little Bungalow?

Full information in last Wednesday's Tribune or ring up Oakland 400 Contest closes Monday, January 23rd

We shall give away another Bungalow

Announcement will be made in the near future

Breuner's—Oakland

13th & Franklin Streets

CHERRY VICTIMS RECEIVE $51,594

Report Made on the Charity Following Great Mine Disaster.

SPRINGFIELD Ill Jan 14—Widows and children of miners who were killed in the Cherry mine disaster of November 13 1909 have received $51 594 from the Cherry relief fund according to the report of Secretary Duncan McDonald of the Cherry relief fund commission

The report in detail shows that six children of the miners who were killed have since died and 11 even beneficiaries have gone to Europe Six of the 142 widows who lived at Cherry just after the accident have remarried and only 102 reside in the village at the present time The sum of $21 593 remains in the hands of the commission to be paid to the widows and children of the dead miners

HOW TO DESTROY THE DANDRUFF GERM

BY A SPECIALIST

That the dandruff germ is responsible for nearly all the diseases to which the scalp is heir as well as for baldness and premature gray hair is a well known fact but when we realize that it is also indirectly responsible for many of the worst cases of catarrh and consumption we appreciate the importance of any agent that will destroy its power We are therefore particularly pleased to give herewith the prescription which an eminent scientist states he has found after repeated tests to completely destroy the dandruff germ in from one to three applications It will also almost immediately stop falling hair and it has in the rare cases produced a new hair growth after years of baldness This prescription can be filled up at home or any druggist will put it up for you 6 ounces Bay Rum 1 ounce Lavenia de Composee one half dram Menthol Crystals Mix and shake well and after standing half an hour it is ready for use Apply night and morning rubbing into the scalp with the finger-tips If you wish perfumed add half a teaspoonful of To-Kalon Perfume which unites perfectly with the other ingredients While this preparation is not a dye it is unequalled for restoring gray hair to its original color

Caution—Do not apply where hair is not desired and be sure to avoid tonics containing poisonous wood alcohol.

HOLIDAY QUIET LOST IN MARKET

Bradstreet Reports on Mercantile Trade and Spring Business.

NEW YORK Jan 14—Bradstreet's says

Trade shows an increasing disposition to throw off the quiet of the post holiday period Wholesale trade seeking with fair success for spring business and salesmen are beginning to send in orders

In retail lines the clearance sales is well in evidence Except with furs and seasonable weather checks operations retailers are meeting with fair success In the wholesale and jobbing trade conservatism governs

While the steel trade animates cotton manufacturers who find margins in raw and manufactured narrow This has had a stimulating effect on prices of high grade cotton goods In other lines conservatism is present A general curtailment of leather output is apparently traded upon Iron and steel are quiet and pig iron prices are still low

Business failures in the United States for the week ending January 12 were 368 against 282 last week 311 in the like week of 1910 219 in 1909 181 in 1908 and 190 in 1907

Russian failures in Canada for the week ending Thursday number 31 which contrasts with 27 last week and with 44 for the corresponding week in 1910

Wheat including flour exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending January 12 aggregate 2 892 600 bushels against 2 968 944 last week Corn exports for the week 1 553 373 bushels against 2 230 339 last week and 1 807 800 bushels in 1910

Medical Students Draw Color Line

WASHINGTON Jan 14—More than a hundred medical students from Georgetown and George Washington Universities here have gone on strike against lectures by Dr William White superintendent of the Government Hospital for the Insane because of the presence at the last lecture of forty negro medical students from Howard University Expulsion it is said may follow

San Francisco Judge to Sit in the South

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Judge Cabaniss left today for Los Angeles to preside at a murder trial Judge Frank Willis being disqualified from hearing the case Judge Willis will occupy the bench in Judge Cabaniss department until the trial in Los Angeles is concluded

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Chinese Are Cleared of Tong War Murder

SAN FRANCISCO Jan 14—Two Chinese charged with murder in connection with the tong war of last winter were discharged today by Judge Dunne They were Tong King and Chong and Lee Leit They were accused of the murder of Yee Foon Wo, although the prosecution considered them accessories to the crime The two alleged principals Jew Back Hew and Hip Kin Hew were tried and both were acquitted for lack of evidence The killing occurred in Chinese alley the night of November 14th

SAVED BY FIRE DRILL

NEW YORK Jan 14—Perfect drill saved 250 deaf and dumb children from fire last night when flames broke out in the upper stories of the institution for the improved instruction of deaf mutes while the thirty instructors were all at supper in the basement.